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\$90,000 Fire In Lincoln

Total Loss of Two Buildings And All Contents Early This Morning

Lincoln, about 26 miles south of Sedalia on Highway 65, early this morning suffered probably its heaviest loss by fire, when two large buildings, with their contents, in the heart of the town were destroyed. It was estimated the loss will total approximately \$90,000. The fire was first discovered shortly before 3:00 o'clock and within an hour both buildings were nothing but a heap of burning embers.

One building, owned and occupied by Producers Exchange No. 84, of the Missouri Farmers' Association, was the hardest hit by losses. John O. Love, general manager of the Lincoln concern, estimated losses at \$75,000, of which approximately 75 per cent is covered by insurance, including the building.

Sam Thomas' garage building, just west of the Producers building, likewise was laid waste, and he estimated his losses to both building and contents to be in the neighborhood of \$14,000. Thomas said he carried no insurance, due to the high rate for his building.

SAW REFLECTION

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, who resides with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Boring in an apartment over the Boring Drug store, across the street was awakened shortly before 3 o'clock. She noticed red reflections in the room and looking out, saw the fire in the Producers Exchange building. She called her daughter and told her of the fire and Mrs. Boring in turn notified the Lincoln telephone operator, Mrs. Martha Hale.

Mrs. Hale then turned on the fire siren which calls forth volunteers and when residents didn't seem to respond as quickly as she thought they should, began calling the residents in the vicinity. She notified Thomas and Love of the fires in her first calls. Then she called for the Sedalia fire department. Informed the local companies could no longer make such fire runs, she turned to trying to get as many volunteers from her own community as possible. Warsaw was notified and newly-elected Sheriff Jack Reser, State Trooper G. V. Means, and M. N. "Puny" White of the Benton County Guide, and Carl Hoepfner, lineman-troubleshooter for the Missouri Public Service Co., went to the scene.

Volunteer Fire Fighters

Lincoln's fire equipment consists of a wagon trailer on which are two chemical tanks, several buckets and a set of ladders. Five men are volunteer fire-fighters who are called immediately when there is a fire, to go first. Then should the fire be beyond control of these men the citizenry offers its aid in fighting fire.

The town does not have a water system with which to battle flames. Talk about Lincoln this morning after its worse fire in history was "something should be done" to protect the rest of the town in case of fire.

Cut Power Lines

Electric service was disrupted by the fire, but only for a few minutes. Hoepfner cut the wires leading into the burning buildings and made the necessary repairs to restore service to other business houses and residents in the vicinity.

The fire seemed to have originated about the center of the Producers building in a location which was described as having been in the vicinity of a large furnace. It burned its way up through the roof and when first seen, a large hole was already in the roof. In a matter of minutes the whole structure was ablaze.

The flames spread to the Thomas garage and this likewise was a mass of flames in a matter of a few minutes. The flames were fanned by a strong wind from the east, but just as the building began to crumble and sparks went high into the air, the wind shifted to the south and the sparks were blown northward into vacant lots and fields.

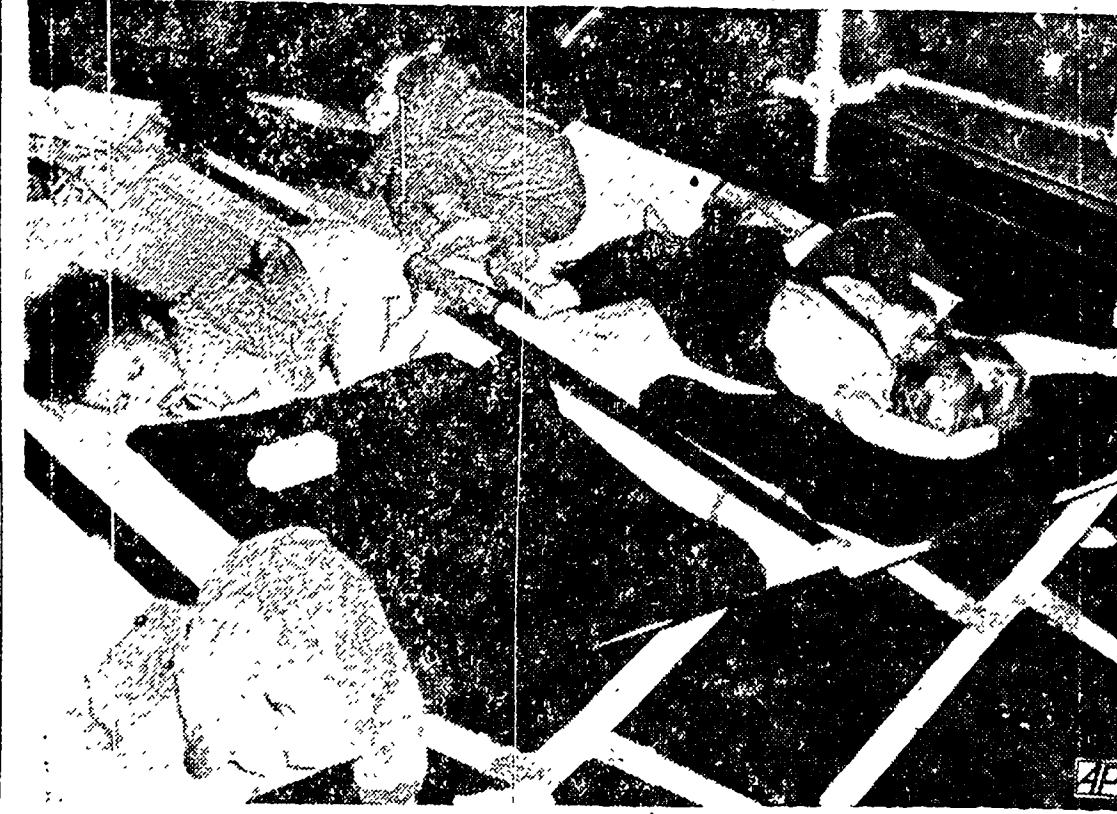
Broke Windows Across Street

The intense heat cracked practically every window in the store windows directly across the street to the south. Composition shingles on the front of one building were melted and ran together. Volunteers carried buckets of water and splashed the fronts of the buildings to keep them from igniting from the heat.

The Lincoln hotel building west

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Tots Sleep After Evacuation



Three little children, evacuees from the Birds Point-New Madrid floodway area, sleep in a high school building at Charleston, Mo., after being moved from their homes. The area in the floodway may soon be underwater if levees along the Mississippi river are purposely blasted to the threat downstream. (Associated Press Photo)

Truman Group Wins on Rule Change Vote

Major Victory For Present Administration

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(P)—The Truman administration today beat an effort by Republicans and southern Democrats to change the house rules and grab control of the legislative program there.

The roll call vote against changing the rules was 236 to 183.

There were cheers in the house when it was announced.

Before the vote, a top Republican and a top Democrat agreed that the real issue was "whether or not the entire Truman program will succeed or be defeated."

Rep. Leo Allen (R-Ill.) put it that way:

Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) said Allen had stated the issue correctly and shouted:

"Who won the election in 1948, anyhow?"

Republicans jeered.

Not So Sweeping

Actually, the meaning of the vote is hardly so sweeping as Allen and Rayburn said it would be. On some issues, the Administration still may lose in the legislative still ahead.

But it was a major victory for the administration in that the vote prevented the rules committee from taking tight control over what measures are to be considered on the House floor. Republicans and Southern Democrats can control that committee.

Republicans tried to put off the test until next week with a motion to adjourn, but lost on that, 225 to 160.

Administration forces had talked confidentially until yesterday of winning the scrap.

Confidence Shaken

Their confidence was shaken when the hours turned down by a two-vote margin, 193 to 191. A Truman-packed bill for economic aid to Korea.

That vote, however, was not associated with the fight to repeal the present rule limiting to 21 days the time the rules committee can hold back legislation from the floor. The proposed change would restore the committee's power to hold up bills indefinitely.

At stake is President Truman's legislative program.

Rule Committee Chairman Sabbath (D-Ill.), leading off the administration attack on the proposal, said it has the backing of an unholy alliance of reactionary Democrats and reactionary Republicans."

The top Republican on the committee, Rep. Leo Allen of Illinois, replied that "the issue is whether or not the entire Truman socialistic program will succeed or be defeated."

The Weather



Generally fair and warmer to-night and Saturday. Low to-night near 30, high Saturday in 50s.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 20 degrees; 2 p. m. 41 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 5; fall: 3.

Thought for Today

Christ is the foundation of all our hopes for time and for eternity. Oh, build on this divine foundation! All other foundations are sinking sands.—Robert S. MacArthur, D. D.

Converted, She Ceases to Cut Women's Hair

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—(P)—Mrs. Wilma Tinker, 29, a beauty operator, is laying aside her scissors. Cutting women's hair "defies the Bible," she has decided.

"I have sold my one shop and have the other for sale," she announced yesterday. "Since being converted (New Year's Eve) I haven't cut any hair and that was my specialty."

Mrs. Tinker based her ban against hair cutting on Paul's First Epistle to the Corinthians:

"... If a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him. But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her; for her hair is given

for covering."

Three Burn to Death in Mt. Leonard Fire

MARSHALL, Mo., Jan. 20.—(P)—Three children burned to death in a fire which swept through a frame house at Mt. Leonard near here early today.

Two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Rooks and a 15-year-old girl who had been helping Mrs. Rook with her housework the last week were trapped by the flames. Rooks was severely burned trying to rescue the children. The children were Judith, 6, and Amos Rook, 3, and Mamie Ellen Marin, the daughter of George E. Martin of Sweet Springs.

Mrs. Rook, still weak from a recent operation, was helped from the burning home by Rooks. But when he tried to enter the house to rescue the children he was turned back by flames. The 20-year-old mother's hair was searched but she was not burned.

Both the children and the Rooks were sleeping downstairs in the one and one-half story frame home. The children were in an adjoining bedroom to the Rooks.

Employed in Sweet Springs

Rooks, 32, is employed by the International Shoe factory in Sweet Springs, about 15 miles from Mt. Leonard. He told Dr. C. L. Lawless, county coroner, he arose about 5 a.m. and built a fire in a coal stove in the children's room, then went back to bed and dozed off. He was awakened by an explosion and got out of bed to find the house in flames.

Neighbors, awakened by the explosion, hurried to the house but were unable to enter. C. M. Rooks, an uncle of Evan, said he tried to break out a window in the children's room but the blast was so hot his hand stuck to the window pane.

Officers Elected

Other officers elected to succeed themselves are: William R. Tweedie, Jefferson City, vice president; Wilkie Cunningham, Jefferson City, treasurer; Rex M. Whitten, Jefferson City, communication; John Waldorf, Marshall and Charles B. Gillespie of Jefferson City, national council representatives.

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Aarkansas Young Democrats

BENTON, Mo., Jan. 20.—(P)—Wilson Gilmore, president of the Young Democrats of America, will be featured speaker at the annual dinner of the Arkansas Young Democrat club in Little Rock tomorrow. It was announced at his office here today.

Gilmore returned yesterday from Washington, where he conferred with President Truman and said his address will reflect the views of the President on organization policies.

Boundary Line To Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(P)—Congress has been asked to approve a Missouri-Kansas boundary line agreement.

The agreement, approved by legislatures of both states, involves that part of the boundary formed by the Missouri river.

A bill providing for congressional ratification was introduced yesterday by Senator Kem (R-Mo.)

Ozarks Council Boy Scouts Annual Meet

Otis Wiley of This City Elected A Vice President

The annual meeting of the Lake of the Ozarks Council, Boy Scouts of America, was held on Thursday night in the gymnasium of St. Peter's Catholic school in Jefferson City at which time Charles M. Buckner, Marshall, was re-elected president. Otis Wiley, Sedalia, was elected vice president and succeeds Ben P. Robinson of this city.

Amory Houghton, president of the National Council, BSA, from Corning, N. Y., was the principal speaker on the program. Mr. Houghton is also an executive with the Pittsburgh-Corning Co., and following his talk came to Sedalia to spend the night and today made an inspection of the local plant with Mr. Wiley, the local manager.

Mr. Houghton in his talk to the group, reviewed Boy Scouting and some of his experiences in his travels throughout the country on scouting work. He told of various regional and district meetings which he attended, of the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held at Valley Forge, Philadelphia, Pa., the latter part of June and the first part of July. He urged parents to send their sons to this annual Jamboree if possible.

Value of Scouting

In his talk he told of Scouting building the citizens of tomorrow and the good it is doing for the youth, not only of the United States but in foreign countries where Scouting is permitted.

His visit to the Lake of the Ozark Council is one of the few which he has been able to visit since being elected to head the national council. He said in closing he was not only "surprised but pleased with the scouting activity in this council."

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Lowered The Boom on New 'Passion Fashion' For Men

By Hal Cooper

LONDON, Jan. 20.—(P)—The Bible of British tailoring lowered the boom today on the new U. S. "passion fashion" for men.

Skirts for the well dressed male? It can't happen here, said Tailor and Cutter.

Blouses with polka dots? Dress shirts with tie attached? Gray silk trousers? No, sir, by gad, sir.

"Friday, the 13th of January, the magazine warned, 'may go down as a black day for men's fashions.'

That was the day, when the show of futuristic men's wear designed by women went on display at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York.

Tailor and Cutter expressed loathing and horror at the pestle shades, dainty materials and the "blaze of potential effeminacy."

Hiss Perjury Trial Probably To Jury Today

Prosecutor Links Him to Jurist 'Selling Justice'

By Charles Mercer

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(P)—A government prosecutor today linked Alger Hiss to Benedict Arnold, Brutus, the Devil and Martin T. Manton, a federal jurist convicted of "selling justice."

Speaking measuredly and in a deep voice, Assistant U. S. Attorney Thomas F. Murphy told a federal court jury in his summation it should convict Hiss on the basis of "the immutable documents" in the case.

Hiss, former high State Department official, is on trial for the second time on charges of perjury. His first trial last summer ended in a jury disagreement.

Murphy pointed to the piles of government exhibits which the government claims Hiss passed to Whittaker Chambers, admitted former courier for a Soviet spy.

"They don't depend on anybody's memory," Murphy said. "They have been here 11 years. No one has altered them."

Only the judge's charge—expected to require about 35 minutes—remained to be given when the trial was recessed for lunch.

Appealed Calm

Hiss and his wife, Priscilla, appeared calm as Murphy addressed the jury.

Murphy recalled that defense counsel yesterday told the jury that this is not an ordinary case. "Ladies and gentlemen," Murphy said, "this is an ordinary case. This courtroom is even. In a criminal case you are just an ordinary defendant."

Discussing character testimony in behalf of Hiss, the prosecutor said:

"I ask you what kind of reputation does a good spy have? A fox barks not when he goes to stalk the lamb."

Next Murphy cited the case of Maj. Gen. Benedict Arnold, who sold out West Point to the British in the Revolutionary war.

"Gen. Arnold," Murphy said, "could have called George Washington and all the members of the general's staff as character witnesses"—before British Maj. Andre was captured and Arnold's treason discovered.

Murphy Continues

"And Brutus," Murphy said, lowering his voice, "before he stabbed Caesar could have stood before the Roman Senate and called on Caesar himself to say what a great man am I."

Murphy said the Devil "could have called on the Almighty himself" as a character witness before he was expelled from Paradise.

"Character witnesses belong to another era," the prosecutor told the jury. "This is the age of reason. This is the age of the common people. We want facts."

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SACRED HEART, Third street and Moniteau avenue. Father Andrew J. Brunswick, pastor. Sunday masses, 6:00, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a. m. Weekdays, 7:00 and 8:15 a. m. Holy days of obligation, 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m. Sunday evening service 7:30 p. m.

FREE METHODIST, Thirteenth and Marvin streets. Rev. Jesse A. Himes, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Sermon, communion service, children's talk, choir. Vocal duet by Betty and Barbara Leiter. Evening: Youth Fellowship 7:00 p. m. Divine worship 7:30. Subject: "Our Faith in the Bible." Choir, men's quartet, Charles and Lee Leiter, Archie and Howard Lueninghoener. Church school sessions will also be held at the following points Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Pleasant Hill, Dresden and New Bethel.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Seventeenth and Harrison. E. S. Brummet, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00. Evening Service 7:30 p. m.

FEDERATED CONGREGATIONAL-PRESBYTERIAN, Osage and Sixth street. Rev. Glen Lindley, minister. Sunday school 9:30. Mrs. W. C. House, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon subject: "Religion at Home." Music under the direction of Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist, as follows: Prelude, "Melody"; Horatio Parker; offertory, "Solace"; Pease; anthem, "Lord Most Holy"; Henson; postlude, "Toccata," Van Delft. The young people's choir will meet for practice Sunday evening at 6:30 at the church. All young people twelve years of age and older are invited. A men's dinner is being served at the church on Thursday evening at 6:30. Following the dinner there will be a song period and special music after which the Rev. Thomas W. Croxton will address the meeting.

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth street and Osage avenue. Roy L. Bowers, minister; Glenn W. Stewart, church school superintendent; E. T. Martin, director of music; Mrs. C. D. Demand, organist. Church school 9:30 a. m. Worship service 10:30 a. m. The Rev. E. W. Bartley, district superintendent, will bring the message. Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. Worship service 7:30 p. m. The Rev. E. W. Bartley bringing the message. Church-night fellowship dinner, program, and study, Wednesday 6:15 to 8:15. This will be the last study on the subject: "Our Faith in the Holy Spirit." Choir practice Wednesday 6:30 p. m. The first regular dinner-meeting of our new organization, "Methodist Men," Friday, 6:30 p. m. The Missouri Area COSA will meet in this church January 24-26, with leaders out of the general office in Nashville, Tenn.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway and Kentucky. Rev. D. Warren Neal, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Gordon Callis, superintendent. Worship service 10:45 a. m. Sermon: "The Church and Your Future." Nursery attendant in charge. Miss Dorothy Ann Reed, organist; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director. Westminster Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m. Sunday. Ernest Deuel, leader. Boy Scout troop meeting Monday night at 7:30. Junior-Hi Youth Fellowship at 4 p. m. Friday.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Sixth street and Lamaine avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday morning service at 11:00 o'clock. "Truth" is the subject of the lesson sermon. Golden text: Psalms 145:18. "The Lord is right unto all them that call upon him, to all that call upon him in truth." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8:00 o'clock. The reading room is located at the same building, entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2 to 4 except Sundays and holidays, also after the Wednesday evening meeting. The Bible and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

LAMONT METHODIST: Rev. E. C. Wright, pastor; Miss Evelyn Smith, pianist; Guy Ballew, general superintendent; Mrs. R. B. Burke president W. S. C. S.; August Tegtmeyer, sponsor M. Y. F. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Worship service 11:00 a. m. Subject: "David at the Mulberry Trees" by Dr. Wright. Young people's service 7:00 p. m. Bible lecture with pictures 7:30 p. m. by Dr. Wright. From Noah to Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Joseph. Israel in Egypt. This is a very interesting period of Bible study with the best pictures made by the old master artists.

ST. PATRICK'S, Fourth and Washington. Father T. J. Nolan, pastor. Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00 a. m.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Broadway at Kentucky Avenue

Worship Service 10:15 a. m.

"Sermon Title: the Church and Your Future."

Rev. D. Warren Neal, Minister.

No Flight From God

Corri, corri, me qua ti aspetto. Run, evade me, but here do I await thee. These words are inscribed on a bronze plaque outside an ancient church in northern Sicily. They are at once a challenge and a consolation.

The challenge lies in the truth that God's justice awaits each man at the end of his life, as inexorably and positively as the fact that the Creator exists.

Enslaved by his own flesh and ego, the sinner—the fugitive from God—may seek to blot out the very name of God from his life. He may delude himself into thinking that he has no need for God. He may, in time, become seemingly impervious to any promptings of conscience or remorse. Even as he flees further and further from the only source of abiding happiness, he may come to believe he has attained a true joy and freedom.

But God waits patiently for even the most obdurate. Some day, through the divine mercy, the sinner's eyes may be opened, and his heart touched with sorrow. Such was the story of Augustine, who strayed so far from God, yet came back in the end to become a far greater saint than he had been a sinner.

This is the consolation that lies in the message of the Sicilian plaque. God never withdraws Himself from even the least unworthy. One prayer of repentance, one heart-rent cry for salvation, can stay his flight toward perdition and set his feet on the homeward journey.

Such things happen every day. A sinner may run a thousand miles from God, but the divine Love can bring him back in a single second. God is always in the church, waiting. His arms are always ready to embrace the wanderer who returns to cast himself at His feet. The parable of the Prodigal Son told in the Scriptures is a story that is being endlessly repeated.

Go To Church This Sunday

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CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE, 701 East Fifth street. Rev. and Mrs. Roy Parker, pastors. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. William Farley will sing: "When I Behold." (Clara Edwards). Mrs. Clyde Williams, organist and Mrs. A. R. Beach, director of music. Baptist Training Union 6:30 p. m. W. A. Morgan, general director. Evening worship 7:45 p. m. Sermon subject: "Under the Load of the Cross." The youth choir will sing: "Whispering Hope" (arr. Hawthorne).

FIRST BAPTIST CHAPEL, Sixteenth and Hancock streets. Donald Momberg, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Bert Farley, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Pastor's theme: "Victory Through Christ." Training Union 6:15 p. m. Delbert Goetz, director. Evening church service 7:30. Pastor's theme: "Unbelief." Monday and Tuesday 7:30 p. m. there will be a class in soul-winning taught by Rev. W. P. Arnold. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth street and Stewart avenue. Song service at 10:30 a. m. At 11 o'clock Evangelist Ivan Hedges will deliver a sermon. Lunch will be served at the church. Service at 2 p. m. Sermon by Evangelist Ivan Hedges of Kansas City.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD. Rev. Corbet Martin, pastor. Mid week services Tuesday, F. P. Y. A. with Bro. Johnny Smith in charge. Friday evening 7:30 pasture. Sunday school 9:45. Sunday evening evangelistic service 7:30 p. m.

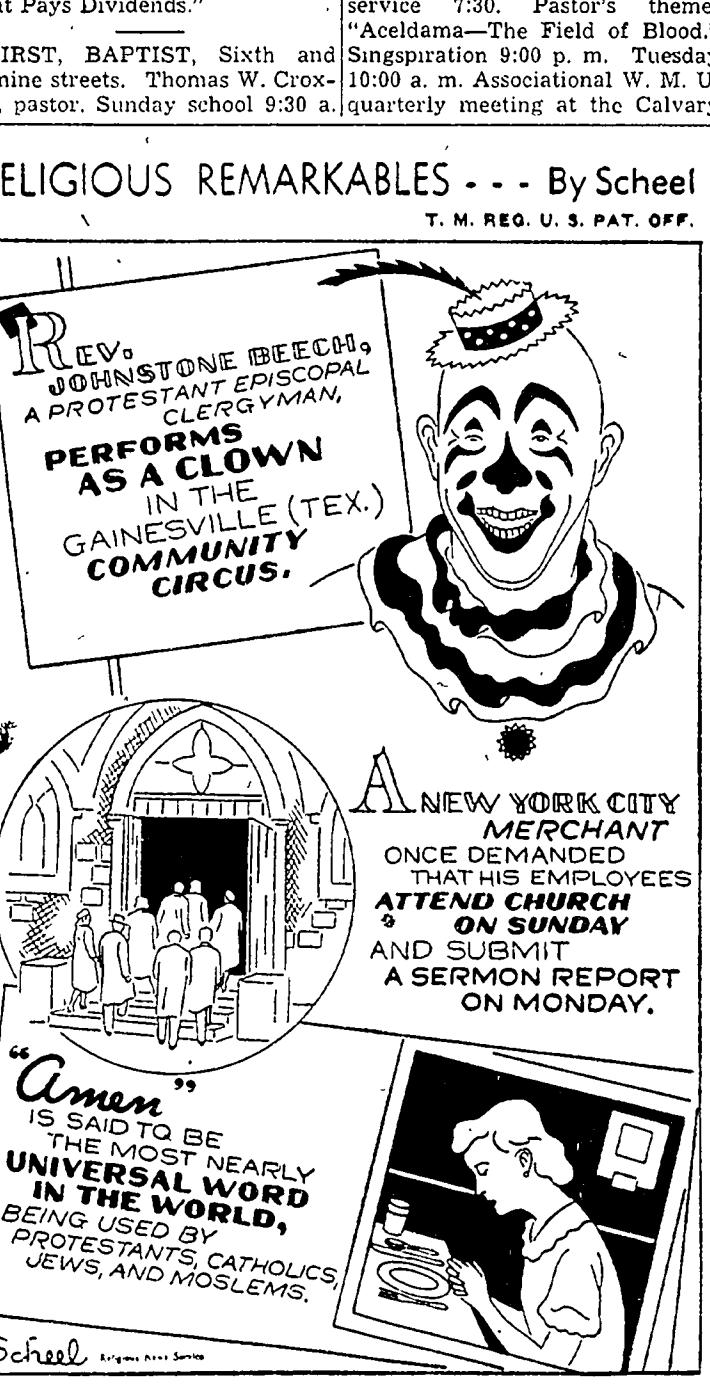
FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Sixth and Summit. Rev. George Acree, pastor. Sunday school 9:45. James A. Green, superintendent. Worship 11:00. Evangelist R. R. Vinyard speaking. Christ Ambassadors 6:30. Mrs. Mary Adams, president. Evangelistic service 7:45 with Evangelist Richard R. Vinyard preaching. Music by the Rinehart sisters trio. Services will continue each evening through Friday at 7:45.

JONES' HOLY TEMPLE, Church of God in Christ, corner Moniteau and Morgan streets. Elder B. Jones, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 o'clock. James R. Brown, superintendent. Prayer for Sunday morning worship 12 o'clock noon. The pastor in charge. Young people's service 6:30 o'clock. Clifford Whitney, president. Night worship service 8:00 o'clock. Music by senior choir. Mrs. Gladys Gatewood, pianist. Topic subject: "Choose You This Day Whom Ye Will Serve." Joshua 24:15.

STUDY CLASS OF Jehovah's Witnesses Sunday 2:00 p. m. at Kingdom Hall, 721 East Third. A. Wood will deliver a talk on: "Palestine In Prophecy." To be followed by a

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Sunday School Lesson

Stephen: Faithful Christian Unto Death

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

The death of Stephen, first of a long line of heroic martyrs for their Christian faith, stoned to death by false witnesses and accusers, was notable not only for his defense, recorded in Acts 7, and his calm and prayerful meeting of his last hour, but also for reference to one who was present and witnessed that tragedy.

Moreover, when he saw the scene of the victim of that cruel death, calling upon the Lord Jesus to receive his spirit and pleading for the forgiveness of those who were doing him to death, could the spiritually sensitive Paul not be moved to some inward wondering about a Christ faith in whom could inspire such calm confidence and courage in His disciples?

The devout Pharisee hated what he conceived to be opposition to the truth, but was the truth entirely as he saw it? For the first time doubt had entered his mind, the first step leading to conversion and newfound faith. It was not, as he insisted, a denial of the religion he had held, or of that life that he had lived in all good conscience. Rather, it was a crowning and enrichment of all that he had believed, a realization that in Jesus of Nazareth was the fulfillment of all that saints and prophets had foretold.

Thus, the death in martyrdom of Stephen is linked with the new life in Paul. Seemingly loss in God's providence, becomes a great gain. Is it too much to believe that out of present-day martyrdoms as well will arise new faith, life and power for the church and Christianity?

Baptist church. Wednesday 6:30 p. m. Junior and Intermediate R. A.'s meet 6:45 youth choir practice; 7:30 prayer meeting; 8:30 adult choir practice. Thursday night at 7:00.

study in the Watch Tower subject: "Preach the Word." II Timothy 4:2. Service meeting, and Theocratic Ministry school Thursday night at 7:00.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"LOVE" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 29, 1950.

Golden Text: Jeremiah 31:3.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "No man hath seen God at any time. If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us." (1 John 4:12) The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The depth, breadth, height, might, majesty, and glory of infinite Love fill all space. That is enough! Human language can repeat only an infinitesimal part of what exists. The absolute ideal, man, is no more seen nor comprehended by mortals, than is his infinite Principle, Love. Principle and its idea, man, are coexistent and eternal." (p. 520)

Completing Cruise

Completing a cruise in the Mediterranean and Northern European waters are two Sedalia Mo., men, Lt. Cmdr. William C. Garson, USN, of 615 West Seventh street, and Glenn A. Harms, yeoman, third class, USN, of 205 South Massachusetts, whose ship, the heavy cruiser USS Des Moines, is scheduled to arrive in Newport, R. I., Jan. 27.

The Des Moines is the flagship of the Sixth Task Fleet, under the operational command of Admiral Richard L. Conolly, Commander-in-Chief, Naval Forces, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean.

During the cruise, the Des Moines has visited ports in Greece, France, Malta and Italy, and the Rock of Gibraltar.

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Shift In Policy To Spain

Resumption of Diplomatic and Trade Relations Being Sought

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Secretary of State Acheson announced Thursday night the United States is prepared to support a move in the United Nations to end the three-year-old diplomatic boycott of Franco Spain.

In addition Acheson said this government is "quite prepared to acquiesce in the extension of credits to Spain covering specific and economically justifiable projects" in which there is "a reasonable prospect of repayment."

The secretary disclosed this major shift of American policy in a letter to Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the Senate Foreign Relations committee.

Connally and many other senators have made repeated demands that this country resume diplomatic and trade relations with Madrid which were broken off in 1946 in keeping with a resolution adopted by the United Nations General Assembly. This was done because the Franco government was deemed a fascist dictatorship which had come to power with the aid of Hitler and Mussolini.

Since that time the United States has been represented in Madrid only by a chargé d'affaires.

Secretary Acheson declared the U. S. now was ready to vote for a resolution in the UN assembly "which will leave members free to send an ambassador or minister to Spain if they choose."

Acheson's letter stressed however that the decision to abandon the 1946 policy "would in no sense signify approval of the regime in Spain."

Declaring there has been no change in the basic attitude of this government toward Spain, he said the policy of the U. S. is based on the recognition of "certain essential facts":

"First, there is no sign of an alternative to the present government."

"Second, the internal position of the present regime is strong and (it) enjoys the support of many who, although they might prefer another form of government or chief of state fear that chaos and civil strife would follow a move to overthrow the government."

"Third, Spain is a part of Western Europe which should not be permanently isolated from normal relations with that area."

The immediate reaction in Congress to the policy move was largely favorable. Among the comments:

Senator Fulbright (D-Ark.) members of the senate foreign relations committee—"I'll go along with Secretary Acheson on Spain. It's a very reasonable position. It is not correct to interpret recognition as approval of a regime. It seems an anomalous situation when we have an ambassador in Moscow and none in Madrid."

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.)—"I think the secretary of state is following the correct course. I never have favored the policy of maintaining half an embassy at Madrid. It is not a question of recognizing Franco Spain. We have done that for 11 years. It is not a question of approving the Franco regime. We have never done that and do not now. It is a question of maintaining an ambassador for our own advantage in one of the important capitals of the world where the government is in unquestioned civil control and where it is guilty of no offense to international comity and law."

Program Given At Mosby PTA

The Mosby Parent Teacher Association met Friday night with Mrs. R. C. Chancey, president, presiding. The meeting was opened with the group singing the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," with Mrs. P. G. Franklin at the piano, which was followed by prayer led by Mrs. Russell Franklin.

Mrs. T. B. Stockstill gave a report on the P. T. A. Council meeting held recently in Sedalia.

Special guests were officers of the Pettis County Historical Society, who took part in the program, with Judge J. V. Kesterson, a vice president, presiding, in the absence of C. F. Scotten, president. Talks were made by C. L. Curry, honorary president and curator; Mrs. Frank S. Leach, who displayed historical articles of value; Mrs. E. F. Yancey, who told the story of the large bear that now stands in the court house and Miss Nina Harris, who gave the financial report of the society. Mrs. Curry was also a guest. Historical pictures of old homes and various landmarks in Pettis county were shown by J. O. Jenkins.

Olive Vincent, of Smith-Cotton

Six Generations at Family Meeting



Six generations of a family got together in Houston, Texas, to make this rather unusual photo. Present were, left to right: Mrs. Annie Colson, 88, great-great-great-grandmother; Cheryl Cooper, 2 months; Mrs. Bonnie Taylor, 67, great-great-grandmother; Mrs. Rosetta Chitwood, 46, great-grandmother; Mrs. Mavane Davis, 29, grandmother; and on the floor Mrs. Nadine Cooper, 15, mother of Cheryl. All are Texans. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Breakfast For Flood Refugees



Evacuated from their homes in the New Madrid-Birds Point Spillway area, near Malden, Mo., U. S. Army engineers warned that the area might be opened to flood waters, these refugees enjoy their breakfast at a Red Cross shelter set up at a former airbase at Malden. Left to right, they are: Mrs. Lena Mae Smith, 72, from Kennett, Mo.; Sharon Walters, 6; and Pearle Marie Tubbs, 10; also of Kennett. (AP WIREPHOTO)

high school, gave an oration on "The Pursuit of Happiness".

Duane Leiter gave a talk on "Livestock Judging" and an Fairfax told of his trip to Chicago, after which a demonstration was given by Glen Stockstill on safety rules.

Community News from Tipton

Mrs. E. N. Pizer

Edgar C. Nelson of Boonville, was guest speaker before the January meeting of the Mother Club held last Thursday afternoon at the Baptist church annex.

Mr. Nelson interestingly narrated the accounts of his travels on a recent European trip.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. J. L. Thomas, Mrs. Jim Eriscoe, Mrs. Les Layne, Mrs. Claud Howard and Mrs. Frank Hudson.

Mrs. J. F. Potts, the president, presided over the club's business. The devotional service was by Mrs. D. G. Hardy and Mrs. J. E. Roark brought a memorial for Mrs. J. D. Briscoe.

The leader for the afternoon was Mrs. J. F. Potts.

As soloist, Bill Dawson sang two numbers, "The Desert Song" and "One Alone," with Mrs. Dawson as accompanist.

During the social time, the hos-

taless served delightful refreshments.

William O. Roark, of Memphis, Tenn., spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. James E. Roark, and his aunt, Miss Ava Renshaw Williams and his family have moved in their new home that was recently completed. His wife, Martha, and daughter, Peggy, made many friends during their stay here while William was about 55 years of age.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at Granite City. Leslie was an efficient and pleasing gentleman and his many friends here in Tipton regret to learn of his passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gerbes were business visitors Monday in Kansas City.

E. R. Proctor, in company with Paul D. Souder of Chamois, attended a meeting of the 40 and 8, an army fraternity group, in Jefferson City, last Thursday night. Mrs. Proctor and Mrs. Souder were dinner guests together during the evening.

Latest elevation meter does away with traditional levels and rods, so that surveyors ride in comfort instead of trudging across country on foot. As it travels on a trailer attached to an automobile, the elevation meter keeps a running record of the dips and rises in the surface covered.

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Social Events

Anne Hayes, well known radio personality in Mid-America, will be the guest speaker at Soracon Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Heard Memorial club house. She presents a 15 minute program on KCMO each day covering all phases of women's activities.

A luncheon in her honor will be served at 1:00 o'clock Monday afternoon with reservations to be in by Saturday noon.

Federated club women from 12 midwestern states will meet at the Hotel Sheraton in St. Louis February 9 for the annual Mississippi Valley Conference of the General Federation of Women's clubs. Representatives from Iowa, Indiana, Illinois, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Ohio and Missouri will attend the event.

The meeting will convene at 10:00 o'clock in the morning and adjourn at 10:00 o'clock that night. Reservations for hotel accommodations and luncheon and dinner tickets may be made before February 6 by writing Mrs. F. Leslie Collins, 5516 Maple avenue, St. Louis, Mo. There is no registration fee.

Smith-Cotton 'E' Students

"E" students at Smith-Cotton high school for the second quarter. E means excellent, and indicates that persons grades have been between 95 and 100:

Five E's: Charlene Laudenberger.

Four E's: Loren Broadhurst, Nancy Cook, Billy Cooper, Jean Craelius. Kerry Gentry, Mikie Hayes, Maurine Hoffman, Betty Leiter, Charlotte Salveter, Nancy Ann Vaughan.

Three E's: Mary Ann Bridges, Delores Gossett, JoAnn Haarrell, Rosella Hunter, Duane Leiter, Mildred McCandless, Joan Riley, Olive Vincent, Ann Wollett.

Two E's: Donald Allicorn, Pat Baugher, Charles Brady, Milton Chamberlin, Pat Cunniff, Anna Lee Dotson, Neva Eirls, Barbara Gladys, Joan Jones, Shirley Kirkpatrick, Larry Lingle, Dorothy Pierce, Carol Pile, Janice Puckett, Donna Richardson, Donna Marie Robinson, Tricia Robinson, Mary K. Scotten, Robert Solomon, Bob Van Horn, Charles Vaughn, Dorothy Wasson, Ruth Waters, Bill Wheeler, Margaret Yatnell.

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With the nationwide manhunt for the seven armed robbers who held up the Brink's express company still on, advertisements in Boston newspapers have appeared offering a \$100,000 reward for information leading to the arrest of the bandits. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

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To St. Louis Hospital
John D. Murphy, 1503 East Broadway, was taken this morning by Gillespie ambulance to the Missouri Baptist hospital in St. Louis where he will undergo surgery. Mrs. Murphy accompanied him to St. Louis. Mr. Murphy became ill Thursday and was taken to the Bothwell hospital Thursday night.

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Propose Farm To Market for Benton County

Preliminary Investigation Has Been Made

A preliminary investigation has been made by the State Highway Department on the supplementary state highways designated as Routes EE and TT in Benton county.

Route EE is described in the supplementary state highway system as, "Beginning on Route E(83) at or near Bentonville, thence in a westerly and northerly direction for approximately three and one-half miles."

Route TT is described in the supplementary state highway system as, "Beginning on Route T, at or near Passo, thence in a westerly direction for approximately four and one-half miles."

The lines that have been selected by the chief engineer for the locations of Routes EE and TT, and will be presented to the State Highway Commission for approval, are described as follows:

Route EE—Beginning on Route E(83) in Bentonville at the intersection with a gravel surfaced road to the west, thence following more or less this gravel road for approximately one mile west to a cross roads where the line turns north on a present county road, the turn to the north will be made on a 10° or 12° curve, thence north following more or less present county road for approximately three-quarters of a mile to a "T" intersection of county roads, thence turning west on a 10° or 12° curve and north on a 10° or 12° curve to eliminate square turns in one-quarter mile jog in county road, thence north along present county road for approximately 1.4 miles to a point slightly beyond the intersection with a county road from west in south half of Section 17, T39N, R23W.

Route TT

Route TT—Beginning on Route T at the intersection of a county aid gravel surfaced road one-half mile south of the northeast corner of Section 11, T41N, R23W, thence west along county road past Sunnyside school, continuing about one mile west from schoolhouse to where road turns south, thence turning the corner with a 10° or 12° curve to the south, thence about one-half mile south along present county road where road turns to the west, thence turning corner with 10° or 12° curve to the west, thence following present county road to the west for about two and three-quarters miles to an intersection with a county road to the north about one-quarter mile west of the southeast corner of Section 7, T41N, R23W.

Any person desiring to protest such locations or portions thereof, should communicate with Mr. H. M. Brush, Division Engineer, at 5117 East 31st street, Kansas City 4, 1950, for information concerning procedure to obtain an opportunity to be heard by the Missouri State Highway Commission prior to final approval of the location of these roads.

Four Persons Die In Flash Fire

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Jan. 20.—(P)—Four persons died today in a flash fire which swept through a crowded three-story tenement in the downtown section of Jersey City.

Fire in Doctor's Office

MOREHOUSE, Mo., Jan. 20.—(P)—Fire which Fire Chief W. P. Headlee said must have followed an explosion, roared through the laboratory and offices of Dr. S. M. Sarno early today and seriously damaged the offices of Dr. O. H. Hux, a dentist, and the entire interior of the State Bank of Morehouse. The fire was discovered about 4 this morning, but an electric clock on the wall of the banking room was stopped at 2:30, the fire chief said.

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OBITUARIES

Ernest E. Foster

Ernest E. Foster, 62, of Hughesville, died at 4:50 o'clock Thursday morning at Bothwell hospital where he had been a patient since January 7.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Alma Foster, three children, Gladys, Mrs. L. C. Helms of Tipton, Kas., and "Billy" Foster of the home. Three grandchildren also survive as do two brothers.

He was a member of the Fish Creek Baptist church.

Mr. Foster was born on April 12, 1887 in Saline county the youngest son of William and Susan Foster.

He began work for the Missouri Pacific Railway Co. in 1911 and had served with them for more than twenty-five years.

Funeral services will be held at the Campbell-Lewis funeral home at Marshall Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. McKenna officiating.

Pallbearers will be Harry Hanley, James Wiley, Gerald Leach, John Parkhurst, Hershel Rissler and Grover Ebanks.

Burial will be in Rich Park with Masonic Lodge Number 236 A. F. and A. M. of which he was a member in charge.

Don Woodson Jones

Don Woodson Jones died suddenly at his home, 208 South Washington avenue, early this morning.

Mr. Jones was born June 2, 1875 in Henry county.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Bessie Kabler, 21½ South Lamine avenue and Mrs. Gladys Bauer, of Kansas City, one grandson, G. T. Rhodus, of Kansas City, Kas., and two great-grandsons, David and Gary Rhodus, of Kansas City, Kas.

The body is at the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

Mrs. Velma Craig Palmer

Mrs. Velma Craig Palmer, 76 years old, widow of Henry Palmer, died at her home in Grand Junction, Colo., Wednesday evening following a major operation earlier in the week.

Mrs. Palmer was born in Knob Noster on August 24, 1873, the daughter of the late Francis M. and Ella R. Craig. She was married to Mr. Palmer, who was also born and reared in Knob Noster, on August 15, 1902 at Grand Junction, Colo., and they lived their entire married life in that city. Since the death of her husband four years ago Mrs. Palmer has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Granville Burke and Mr. Burke in Grand Junction. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Gladys Blankenship and Mrs. Binga Burns, both of California and Mrs. Granville Burke, of Colorado, five sisters, Mrs. Cassie Underwood, of Knob Noster; Mrs. Eula Overmier, 1107 East Fourth street, this city, Mrs. Urma Tucker, of Kansas City, Mrs. Bessie Wingfield, of Baker, Ore., and Mrs. Iona Crimin, of Halfway, Ore., four grandchildren, Judy and Jackie Burns and Gary and Stacey Burke and several nieces and nephews. Two nieces, Mrs. Bernice Walton Summers and Mrs. Veta Heard and one nephew, H. L. Overmier, reside in Sedalia. Another nephew, H. C. Walton, a veteran of World War II and now in command of the National Guards in Wichita, Kas., who made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Palmer after the death of his parents, left by plane for Grand Junction Thursday.

Mrs. Palmer was preceded in death by a son, Herbert, who died in early manhood, a brother, Earl Craig, who died last October and a sister, Mrs. Edith Walton, who died several years ago.

Mrs. Palmer was a member of the Baptist church.

Funeral services and burial will be held in Grand Junction.

Ulrich Bieri

Ulrich Bieri, 77, widely known leader in progressive farm activities in Moniteau county, died suddenly at his home northwest of California, Mo., at 12:30 a.m. Thursday of a heart attack.

Mr. Bieri was born in Bern, Switzerland, a son of the late John and Anna Bieri and moved to Moniteau county with his parents when he was about 14 years old. He married Miss Sophia Rauszer on September 21, 1898. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary a year ago last September. Mr. Bieri served as a member of the Evangelical and Reformed church in California.

Surviving besides Mrs. Bieri are the children, Miss Ida Bieri and

Restaurant Owner Reports Robbery

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 20.—(P)—A restaurant owner reported to police today he was held up and robbed of \$134.05 as he opened his place of business at 5:30 this morning.

Granted Herd Name

BRATTLEBORO, Vt.—Charles W. Bluhm, Sedalia, Mo., has been granted the exclusive use of the name "Kristy Lee" as a herd name in registering his purebred Holstein-Friesian cattle. This prefix name is granted and will be recorded by the Holstein-Friesian Association of America.

Nearly 1200 prefixes were reserved for breeders in 1949.

Home After Operation

Mrs. Edith Sibert, 304 West Third street, is home after spending two weeks in the St. Luke's hospital in Kansas City, following an operation. She will return to Kansas City Monday for further treatment.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Lawrence Ward, 408 West Sixteenth street; Mrs. Lester Whitehead, 1515 South Stewart avenue, and Mrs. Albert Anderson, route 5, Sedalia.

Dismissed: Mrs. James Dalz and daughter, 217 South Moniteau avenue; Mrs. Omer Greer, 732 East Fourth street; Mrs. J. H. Snare, Calhoun, and Mrs. Eugene Streelow, 1214 West Second street.

Dismissal: Henry Strathman, Cole Camp; Mrs. Myrtle B. McEniry and son, 500 West Fourth street; William Bryan Crook, 1900 West Tenth street; Mrs. John Evans, Florence; Mrs. Earl Hursman, Blackburn, and Mrs. John Sudduth, route 1, Smithton.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Claude C. Pickell, of Kansas City.

Large Crowd at Meeting

The Progressive Democratic club held its first meeting of the year at the club headquarters, 121 East Main street Thursday night, with 250 people present. All candidates were introduced. Attorney William F. Brown made the principal address, after which refreshments were served. Carl Abbott is president, Ada Coolidge, secretary.

Home From Hospital

Pete Drenas, 1430 South Sneed avenue, returned home Thursday after spending 10 days in the S. B. A. hospital in Topeka, Kas., getting a check-up.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Robert D. Smith, 312 East Third street.

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Request For Eighty-four Enumerators

Made to Sedalia Office, Division Of Employment

"The Sedalia Office of the Division of Employment Security has just received a request for 84 census enumerators for the four-county area served by that office," Mr. Virgil J. Brown, manager, said today.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday afternoon at the Evangelical and Reformed church in California with Rev. Paul Shoppe officiating. Burial will be in the Evangelical cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Williams

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Jane Williams, who died from suffocation in a fire that destroyed her home, 1103 East Third street, Wednesday night, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. Sid Mabry, pastor of the Faith Tabernacle, officiated.

Mrs. Harvey Worledge and Mrs. Sid Mabry sang "Face To Face" and "I'll Meet You in the Morning" accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Friends who served as pallbearers were Jack Benedict, Stephen Avery, Everett Vormann, Louis Kellner, Robert Mackinson and Robert Goff.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Leo C. Meyers

Funeral services for Mrs. Nora G. Meyers, wife of Leo C. Meyers, who died Thursday at her home, 500 West Third street, will be held at 8:00 o'clock Saturday morning at the Sacred Heart church with Rev. A. J. Brunswick, pastor of the church, to officiate.

Pallbearers will be Ed Behen, Claude L. Boul, Lawrence Mehl, Jack Granlasky, Joe Brereton and Joe Smasal.

Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

(7) Applicants with veteran's status will be given preference over non-veteran applicants.

In Letter Form

Mr. Brown explains that each application must be made in the form of a letter in the applicant's own handwriting, addressed to the bureau of census. The letter must include the applicant's age, height, weight, veteran's status, marital status, number of dependents, education and a brief summary of work experience. Applicants should also indicate whether or not they have use of a car. The letter will be delivered in person to one of the division's offices where initial screening will take place.

Acceptable applications will be forwarded to the district headquarters office of the bureau of census.

Burial will be Paul Graham, John Miller, W. I. Broyles, E. E. Arnold, Charlie Fuchs and William Wright, Sr.

Mrs. W. L. Lewis and Mrs. Miles Rhodes will sing "Asleep in Jesus" and "The Lord's Prayer" with Mrs. Mae Moser as the accompanist.

Burial will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Edward C. Trelow

Funeral services for Edward C. Trelow, of San Francisco, Calif., who died unexpectedly Wednesday morning while visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Cecil Lockney, east of Houstonia, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Community church in Houstonia. The Rev. C. E. Fast, pastor of the church, will officiate.

Mrs. L. C. Tuck will have charge of the music.

Pallbearers will be Noah Killon, Raymond Killon, Sam Gail Tuck, Harold Dickerson, Marshall Dickerson and Copsey Higgins.

The body is at the Westbrook funeral home in Houstonia.

Mr. Trelow was born April 9, 1911, at Sweet Springs, the son of A. F. Trelow and the late Abbie Trelow. He had been in service for the past six years and recently received his discharge.

Surviving are his wife, San Francisco, his father, who resides at the Lockney home, four brothers and five sisters.

BIRTHS

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Rhoads, 120 West Seventh street, at 6:35 o'clock Thursday evening at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, 12 ounces.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reed, 316 West Eleventh street, at 2:38 o'clock this morning at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Nine pounds, 13 ounces.

Personal

Sgt. R. M. McDonald, after

spending 30 months in the Pacific area, is spending a 20-day furlough with his family, 800 East Thirteenth street. Sgt. McDonald, at the conclusion of his furlough, will report at Fort Riley, Kas., to be re-assigned.

Heads Heart Association

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—(P)—Bert Berry, motor car dealer here, has been named state chairman of the Missouri Heart Association's fund raising campaign to fight heart disease.

His appointment was announced today by Dr. Graham Asher, president of the state association.

Berry will head the drive next month for \$75,000. Missouri's quota of the \$6,000,000 the American Association hopes to raise in the nation.

Will Is Filed

The will of John C. Box, who died October 28, 1949, at his home, LaMonte, route 2, was filed in the Pettis county probate court, Thursday.

To each of his children, Edna Lee Box of Kansas City, Mildred Box of the home, and a stepdaughter, Dorothy Gregg, he left five dollars.

His widow, Mrs. Ona I. Box, who was appointed executrix was left the remainder of his estate.

T. C. Owen of Warrensburg is attorney for the estate.

To Replace Brantley

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—(P)—

The Federal Bureau of Investigation today announced the transfer of Lee V. Boardman, agent in charge of the FBI office here, to the Kansas City bureau.

At Kansas City, Boardman will replace Dwight Brantley, who has been in charge there for 15 years.

Rita Leaves Clinic

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Jan. 20.—(P)—Rita Hayworth today left the fashionable Monthois clinic, where her baby, Princess Yasmin, was born Dec. 28. The child will remain at the clinic for the time being.

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Carriers of Democrat and Capital Win

Tournament of Optimists Near Half Way Point

The last half of the third round of the Sedalia Optimist Club's basketball tournament was completed in the gymnasium of Washington school Thursday night. The tourney, for boys under the age of fifteen, is nearing its halfway point. The fourth round of the eight round series will start Monday at Mark Twain.

The opening game Thursday night was between the Sedalia Democrat Carriers and the Episcopal quintet. The tilt ended with the Carriers on top with a 68 to 35 victory.

Vernon Steffens was high pointer for the Carriers with 22 points and Dawson Reese was runner up with 16.

High pointers for the Episcopal boys were Berry with 13 and Brooks with 12.

The second game started at 8:30 o'clock with the Sedalia Capital Carriers downing the Methodist squad in a close and hard fought contest with a final tally of 33 to 19. The game was full of action with both teams about evenly matched.

High point men for the Capital Carriers was Gardner with 9 points and high pointer for Methodist was O'Bannon with 12.

Scorekeepers were Paul Mines, Ted Phillips and Referee was Hank Williams.

Carl Ballenger, secretary of the tournament, served in the capacity of timekeeper.

The standings in the league are as follows:

	Won	Lost
Sedalia Democrat Carriers	3	0
Sacred Heart	3	0
Sedalia Capital Carriers	2	1
Methodist East	2	2
Baptist	0	3
Episcopal	0	3
Optimist West	0	3

Boss is Sure Dodgers Will Win Pennant

Rickey Explains At Banquet His Latest Brain Child

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Things may be daffy again in Brooklyn this year if Branch Rickey really is serious about his latest brain-child.

Speaking at the annual dinner tendered by Sport magazine last night, the boss of the Dodgers advocated a new idea in baseball that he admitted "would be ridiculed to start with, but would be universally accepted by the major leagues in due time."

"Here is a suggestion that all managers should take," Rickey said. "In a situation when runners are on first and second with nobody out and a hopeless hitter at the plate, he should order two outfielders in thus making a six-man infield and a one-man outfield. The first and third basemen should move in 20 feet down the line. Then you're equal to all occasions."

Useless Outfielders

"We have plenty of hopeless hitters in our league. I have some on my club. I have a pitcher who never in his life has been able to hit a ball to the outfield. Yet there always are three utterly useless outfielders always waiting for him to hit one. How stupid can they be?"

Rickey said six of the Dodgers tried the six-man infield idea last year and it proved successful.

"I hope the Brooklyn club tries it every day this year," he added, "and I assure you we're going to win the pennant."

Mules Top The MIAA Standings

The red hot Central Missouri State Mules, riding a four game winning surge, will attempt to continue their victorious ways Saturday night, Jan. 21, against Emporia State. The tilt will be played in the Morrow gym starting at 8 o'clock.

First place leaders in the M.I.A.A. the Mules scored 27 goals last Monday night crushing the Rolla Miners, 65-40. The Kethmen now have two league victories against no defeats. Leading scorer against Rolla was Glen Kammerer, Concordia, who gathered seven field goals and one free throw for a total of 15 points. Jim Baile, Warrensburg, had a total of 14 points. Ten players in all took part in the scoring spree.

Emporia States is the leading team of the C.I.C. with two wins and no losses. Earlier in the season the Hornets defeated the powerful Caterpillar Tractors of Illinois but lost a few nights later to the Mules.

The Kethmen will visit the Missouri Valley Maples Monday night, Jan. 23, seeking revenge for an early season setback. A large group of Warrensburg fans are planning to follow the team to Marshall.

M. I. A. A. A. standings:

	Won	Lost
Warrensburg	2	0
Marshall	2	1
Springfield	2	1
Rolla	1	2
Kansas City	1	2
Cape Girardeau	1	2

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Gabby Street Honored



Former Yankee Can't Get Baseball Out of His Blood

By Robert Moore

ARLINGTON, Va., Jan. 20—(AP)—Remember the New York Yankees' Cinderella first baseman of 1947—George McQuinn? The soft-spoken fellow browsed around his sporting goods store here today and admitted he couldn't get baseball out of his blood. He wants to be a manager.

"I thought I'd had my big baseball dream come true when I got to play with the Yankees," McQuinn said. "I thought that everything good there was in baseball had come my way. When I had a couple of years with the Yankees, I was ready to give baseball up. I did give it up."

McQuinn, now 38 years old, paused—

"But I didn't know how much baseball meant to me until I'd quit," he said. "I'd like to be a manager — maybe a playing manager."

Recalls Past Years

McQuinn recalled some of the things which happened to him during his big league career.

"The biggest thrill I got out of it all came those last two years — 1947 and 1948," said McQuinn, who played for the St. Louis Browns and the Philadelphia Athletics before moving to the Yanks.

"It took a long time for me to get to Yankee stadium. Back there in the thirties, I was at Newark, a Yankee farm, with Joe Gordon, Bill Baker, Atley Donald, Spud Chandler, Charlie Keller and a whole raft of other fellows who later became great Yankees. But I was drafted by the Browns."

McQuinn remained with the Browns until 1946 when he went to the Athletics. Connie Mack told McQuinn when he released him after that one season with the A's, "I guess you just played one year too long George."

The Yankees didn't think so. They put McQuinn on first base during 1947. He batted .304 and was one of the big factors in the team's drive to the world championship.

Long Beach, Calif., Jan. 20—(AP)—Sam Snead, sizzling with two victories in a row in the new 1950 golf wars, looked like the man to beat today as the better known professionals headed into their first round of the \$10,000 Long Beach Open.

The lesser knowns launched Long Beach's second annual tournament yesterday and veteran Bob Connolly of Seattle led the way home with a 69 for the par 35-36-71 Lakewood Country club course.

Star of today's show was Snead, who defeated Ben Hogan Wednesday with a 68 for the par 35-36-71 Lakewood Country club course.

Observers think the new coach will be named after these two meetings and before the annual football banquet tonight.

Sauer, who coached Kansas to the 1948 Orange bowl and who recently quit as top man at navy because two of his assistants were not re-hired, has been the "hottest" rumor around town.

Sammy Baugh, H. N. (Rusty) Russell, Southern Methodist university assistant coach and Missouri's Don Faurot were "hot" prospects to succeed him, but all are now out of the picture.

Jinx Tucker, Waco News-Tribune sports editor, said Faurot had withdrawn himself from the picture. Tucker added that Faurot was happy at Missouri where he has virtually a lifetime job.

Ten Round Non-Title Bout in Chicago Tonite

CHICAGO, Jan. 20—(AP)—Johnny Bratton, winner of six straight battles by knockout, will be seeking an upset triumph over lightweight champion Ike Williams tonight in their 10-round non-title bout in Chicago stadium.

A victory for the hard punching Chicago welterweight over the champion will put him in line for a title shot at Sugar Ray Robinson, 147 pound champion. After Williams and Bratton finished their drills yesterday, odds favoring the champion were lowered from 8 to 5 to 9 to 7. Before the bell sounds, it is expected Bratton will be an even choice to win and thus avenge two previous defeats by the champion.

The girls' volleyball team is making a good showing. The game with Green Ridge should be close.

The starting "B" team will be: Jim Labus, Kenneth Jett, Bill Zoernig, Jim Fall and Pat Ryan. The "A" team will be chosen from this group: Jerry Labus, Joe Paxton, Joe Mehl, Bill Hodges, Jim Bus, Jesse Martin and Jim Menefee.

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• The Washington Merry-Go-Round**Gambling Racketeers****Undermine Law Enforcement**

By Drew Pearson

(ED. NOTE—Another of Drew Pearson's columns on gambling racketeers and how they affect city governments.)

WASHINGTON.—Earlier in this series I expressed the opinion that President Truman knew nothing about the links which some of his henchmen have with Costelloism and the gambling racketeers.

I base this opinion on the fact that, at this moment, federal grand juries are probing the racketeers in Los Angeles, Miami and in Truman's home town, Kansas City.

This investigation includes the new Democratic boss of Kansas City, Charles Binaggio, who has carried the town for Truman by resounding majorities, but who, nevertheless, was hauled before a grand jury by the Justice Department at the very same time Truman was in Kansas City for the Bill Boyle testimonial dinner.

Actually, these grand juries cannot clean up gambling, which comes under local law enforcement agencies but they can crack down on narcotics, income-tax evasions and illegal immigration, which go hand in hand with gambling. In fact, Frankie Costello, an Italian immigrant, could be deported to Italy tomorrow if the Justice Department wanted to.

Undermining Law Enforcement

The important thing about the gambling rackets, whether they be in Miami, Kansas City, or Fresno, Calif., is the manner in which they undermine law enforcement.

Most people probably see nothing wrong with a \$2 bet or with slot machines in a beer tavern. But along with the \$2 bet and the slot machines go pay-offs to the police. These pay-offs may be only \$30 a week. But when a cop will take \$30 a week to protect a gambling joint, he will also take \$1,000 to fix a murder case. Once the pattern of a dishonest police force is fixed there is no boundary line where it can be stopped.

Today in Kansas City, only two out of 13 gangland murders have been solved by the police in the last two years. And as a result of the current Justice Department probe in Kansas City, one witness before the grand jury, Daniel W. Robinson, was murdered recently. Another witness, Sam Butler, after being badgered by the gang, committed suicide.

The invasion of Costelloism is always slow, almost imperceptible. At first it can scarcely be detected.

Nearly always it gets a foot in the door through heavy political contributions to a candidate for public office. He may be completely honest, but he needs the money and doesn't think twice about the obligations he must fulfill after he takes office.

In Kansas City, for instance, it was Democrat Forrest Smith, running for governor of Missouri in 1948, who accepted the backing of the Binaggio gang. Now that he's in the governor's chair, Smith has no love for the gamblers or what they stand for. Nevertheless Binaggio's political power is an inescapable fact. Binaggio has even been admitted, since Smith's election, to the secret Democratic caucus of the Missouri legislature, while two Binaggio friends have been named by Governor Smith to the Kansas City police board.

Gamblers Guessed Wrong

In Louisiana, Huey Long got started through exactly the same process. Frankie Costello arrived with a \$100,000 cash contribution to Huey's campaign, in return for which Huey opened up the state to slot machines.

This looked harmless at the time, and was the most painless way for Huey to raise money to fight the big oil companies and utilities then bent on defeating him. But it paved the way for the most ruthless state dictatorship this country has ever seen.

Or take another town which is pretty much "Average City-U.S.A."—namely, Fresno, California.

Here the gambling fraternity used exactly the same technique to put a friend in office, and would have succeeded had they not picked the wrong friend. In Fresno, a shrewd and likable public relations counsel, Robert Franklin, with manifold connections, became the campaign manager for Republican candidate Gordon Dunn, a newcomer in politics.

And it was only a couple of weeks after Dunn's election that he was approached by the man who had helped him to "open up" the city to gambling and houses of prostitution.

Dunn, naive but courageous, refused. However, the pressure has continued, with the approaches being almost identical to those made in Kansas City.

Among other things, Lieut. Ed Ellis, a friend of the city's gambling boss, Joe Cannon, was proposed as police chief of Fresno. Ellis had been so close to Cannon that the gambler used to sit in his office and send members of the police force out for coffee with such an air of authority that rookie cops thought Cannon was a member of the staff. Lieutenant Ellis took the Civil Service exam, along with others, and flunked. But despite this he was still urged on Mayor Dunn as police chief.

Instinct the naive newcomer to politics sent one of his best men, Lieut. Henry Morton, to

Washington to train at J. Edgar Hoover's national police academy and study exactly the opposite law enforcement methods from those the gambling fraternity wanted.

Some members of the Fresno police force, however, continued to be pals-waifs with the gamblers. Only recently, gambling chief Cannon walked into Tony's restaurant at 6 a.m. waving loaded revolver.

A waitress calmed him down, and unloaded the revolver until the police could arrive. But when a patrolman did arrive he failed to arrest Cannon because of the technicality that the revolver, at the time of his arrival, was not loaded. Other citizens do not get such lenient treatment.

Crusading Newspapers Curb Rackets

In Fresno, as in Kansas City, the rackets have also been curbed by alert newspapers. The watchful Fresno Bee has crusaded against Costelloism, while in Missouri, the Kansas City Star has cracked down on every move Binaggio has made. Nevertheless, the Kansas City police force, which became a model of efficiency after Boss Pendergast went to jail, is now in a state of jitters.

Binaggio has demanded the reinstatement of a former police chief, previously demoted, together with a new chief of detectives, Thomas J. Higgins, despite the fact that Higgins was once indicted for perjury in connection with the Kansas City Union station killings.

Furthermore, the new police commissioners appointed by Gov. Forrest Smith, following his election with gambling support, have urged these changes.

Binaggio is quite frank about it all. "I want to open up the town," he says. And his political power has been so strong that even President Truman's old friend, Mayor Roger Sherman of Independence, has hopped on the Binaggio bandwagon.

That's why the Justice Department's grand jury probes in Kansas City, Miami and Southern California, plus forthright Sen. Estes Kefauver's investigation of interstate gambling, are among the healthiest things that have hit this country.

Antiquated Teaching Methods Slow High School Attendance

By Bruce Biossat

Every year, 1,000,000 youngsters drop out of high school. Most don't quit because they can't do the work, for studies show 60 per cent have average or greater abilities. They leave because they're bored or badly adjusted, because the schools don't offer the things they want to learn.

Is it the kids' fault? Frances V. Runnall, writer for the U. S. Office of Education, says not. In an article in the Saturday Evening Post, she pins the blame on school administrators, teachers, and to some extent, parents.

She says the good high schools in America are in a distinct minority. And she quotes Earl J. McGrath, chief of the U. S. Office, as rating most secondary schools obsolete and inadequate.

What's wrong with them? Says Miss Rumell: They try to train students for jobs they'll never get and to prepare them for the college education most will never seek.

The emphasis is on the old-fashioned classical curriculum—Latin and Greek, mathematics, the more distant periods of history, subjects too often dry as dust and remote from today's living.

Leading educators want schools to fit students for the lives they are going to lead. Most will never have white-collar jobs because there aren't enough to satisfy everybody. Most will have routine, even dull jobs and will need to find outlet in leisure time activities.

The youngsters themselves supply a clue to their needs. Surveys among students show they want to learn how to get along with people, to manage a home and their everyday finances, to keep healthy, master the problems of marriage, understand civic affairs.

But so many schools and teachers are steeped in the traditional course of study that they resist changes. Parents sometimes support the old way because they want to keep alive the idea that their offspring are heading for the White House, or at least a corporation executive's big desk.

Meantime, the kids get a good deal of their real education from radio, television, movies, comic books and juke joints. Educators predict it will be 50 years before most high schools catch up with the advanced methods of today's best.

We can't afford that half century lag. The well-being and happiness of too many millions are at stake. Why can't parents take the lead in shoving our backward schools out of their deep ruts and onto a new path that will carry their children toward the goals they seek?

Expensive Way to Win an Argument

If the United States had never been in a war, its budget for the coming year would probably be around \$12,000,000,000 instead of the \$42,000,000,000 estimated for 1950-51 by President Truman.

In other words, the wide gap between the President's current estimates and what might have been reflects the cost of fighting past wars, pensions for the participants, and insurance against another conflict. But for wars already fought, there probably would be no great danger of one with the Soviet Union—and no need for that insurance in the form of aid to friendly nations abroad.

That \$30,000,000 tied to war or safeguards against war constitutes the hard core of the federal budget. Much of it is impossible to cut, and great risk attends trimming other parts of that core.

Next time you look at the big bite the withholding tax takes out of your paycheck, remember that 70 per cent of the money goes for things that have nothing to do with ordinary peaceful living. It's the price we're paying for not solving our differences without resort to arms.

• So They Say

It's a sorry day for America when Admiral Denfeld, or anyone else, can't come before a congressional committee and state their opinions without being punished.

—Sen. Styles Bridges (R) New Hampshire.

• Just Town Talk

"DON'T EVER Think

HE SAID
IF YOU Retire
FROM BUSINESS
YOU ARE Going
TO GET Away
FROM WORK
AS YOU Plan To"
SAID A Business Man
WHO RECENTLY
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AND THOUGHT He'd
JUST TAKE Life
EASY FOR A While
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COULD FIND
SO MANY Things
FOR A Man
TO DO Around
A HOUSE
AS MY Wife Can"

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SAVING UP Chores
FOR A Long Time
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OTHER MEN
WHO ARE Planning
TO RETIRE
TO GIVE The Matter
MUCH THOUGHT
BEFORE THEY
MAKE SUCH A Decision"
THERE ARE Always
TWO SIDES To
A QUESTION
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INTERESTED In
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I THANK YOU

Abundant Living

by E. STANLEY JONES

James 3:16-18; 4:1-3; Phil. 3:10

THE KINGDOM WORKS AS SELF-FRUSTRATION

We have seen that the Kingdom of God is among us—is the way we get along with one another, if we get along at all. Look at the breakdown of human relationships on a world scale. Why have they broken down? For the simple reason that we have tried to get along with other nations on the basis of pure selfishness. That broke the law of the Kingdom which is among us. Hence our relationships with one another broke down. Hence, this war. We cannot violate the law of love any more than we can the law of gravitation and not get hurt. The law of gravitation will hold up our buildings if we build plumb with it, but it will pull them to the dust if we build them out of plumb.

People ask, "Where is the Kingdom of God in war?" As someone plaintively put it: "I am wondering when God will come into war and take a hand." Where is the Kingdom of God? It is here in the very frustrations that are taking place, it is working as self-frustration. Since we wouldn't take the Kingdom of God as our collective fulfillment, we must now take it as our collective frustration. We cannot live the way we have been living without having the kind of a world we now have. When we are at war with the Kingdom of God, we are bound to be at war with one another.

Suppose the opposite had taken place. Suppose our collective revolt against God had turned out as prosperity, as peace, as progress, as mutual helpfulness. Then we could have asked, "Where is the Kingdom of God? since its opposite had turned out so well." The success of our revolt would indeed smite our faith a fatal blow. But this kind of mess-up, world corroborates everything the Christian stands for. Revolt against God and a resulting chaos work out as prophecy and fulfillment, as seed and fruit. We cannot live on a selfish basis without having a clash. That clash is war.

The Christian has then the key to the situation—the Kingdom of God is among us. Live according to it and we live; if not, we collectively perish—as now.

God, I begin to feel a sense of personal and collective guilt. We have been trying to live against the universe and not with it, and now we are up against it. I'm up against it—we all are. I lift pleading hands to Thee to help me, save me. Amen.

The Doctor Says—

Check up on School Children To Help Prevent Heart Disease

BY EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

Written for NEA Service

Brucellosis, of which there are several varieties, is a disease which attacks animals as well as human beings. It is estimated, for example, that there are about 1,300,000 dairy cattle and 800,000 beef cows involved. No one knows how many human beings are affected with undulant fever, which is the principal human form of brucellosis.

There are some encouraging things about the situation. Brucellosis can be eliminated from any herd of cattle when the proper steps are taken under suitable direction, and not only from a single herd, but from a whole area. This attack on the disease includes destruction of the animals who are carrying the infection almost always from eating or drinking contaminated products.

Although one of the most complicated diseases of our day, it is encouraging to realize that progress is being made and the future

cattle, certain legislation has been recommended. On the national level, it is suggested that the secretary of the United States Department of Agriculture should be authorized to establish regulations governing the interstate transportation of infected animals or those exposed. States probably should sponsor a program of reporting, testing, vaccinating, and other steps.

The control and elimination of brucellosis in cattle, pigs, and other animals should eventually be of great benefit not only to the livestock and agricultural industries but also to human beings who acquire their infection almost always from eating or drinking contaminated products.

Although one of the most complicated diseases of our day, it is encouraging to realize that progress is being made and the future

is so bright. Until eliminated in livestock, pasteurization of milk, careful cooking of meat, and well-known sanitary precautions should be helpful in reducing the number of human beings attacked.

Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS BY EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

QUESTION: I have white spots on the back of my hands and wrists. What can be done about this?—S.M.

ANSWER: This sounds like vitiligo or leukoderma. Most treatments which have been tried are not very successful. Coloring the spots with walnut juice (if you can get it), or a properly prepared potassium permanganate solution, have been used to make the spots less conspicuous.

Winchester, Ohio, where he plans to locate.

J. E. Love, a former Sedalia chief of police, is here from Kansas City and will probably move with his family back to Sedalia in April.

Julius Cohn, of Bondi Bros., is in Chicago meeting with seven other buyers of the same firm, and they will go from there to New York on a purchasing trip.

S. R. Smith and A. E. Poteet, of the Bell Telephone company, left for Pilot Grove on business.

B. H. Knapp, chief dispatcher for the Mid-

ern, Mich., being called there following the death of his mother.

But whatever it is about his wife that is of utmost importance to him shouldn't be kept a secret from his wife.

If he makes his feelings quite plain and she goes ahead and disregards his wishes, then she is asking for trouble.

But I can't help but feel sorry for the wife who fails her husband because she doesn't know

what he has slipped up on the one

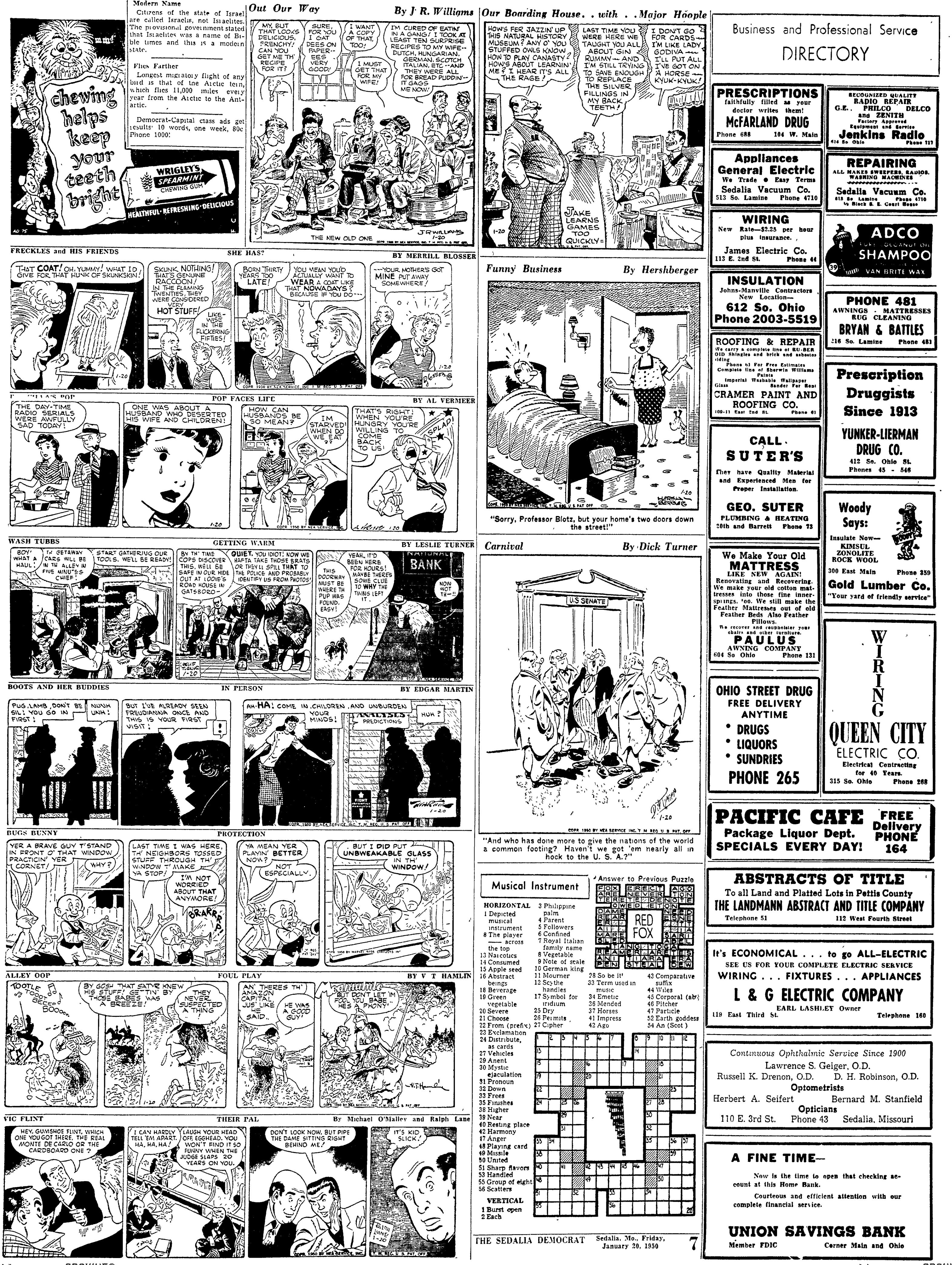
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Boyle's Column

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Alice in wonderland of our times is a former Iowa school teacher named Fran Allison.

She is the human star of an NBC-TV puppet show called "Kukla, Fran and Ollie," and it has rather taken the television world by storm.

It began as a children's show, but now it is also a rage among adults—from truckdrivers to literary sophisticates—in some 54 cities. Kids from 8 to 80 have schoolboy crushes on Fran.

She jokes and sings with the two major puppets—Kukla, a red-nosed balding, good-hearted little worry wart, and Ollie, a one-toothed sentimental dragon who wants to be a big shot.

Other puppets include Beulah Witch, Ophelia Oopleguss, a retired opera singer, and Clara Coo Coo, a flighty cuckoo who used to be timekeeper in Santa Claus' North Pole factory but flew to Chicago and developed a southern accent.

A Genius of Fantasy

Unseen behind the small stage is the puppet manipulator, Burr Tillstrom, a 32-year-old genius of fantasy. So far he has sung and talked for eight puppet characters. He expects to create more if he doesn't run out of voices.

Through his puppets he and Fran have created a make-believe world of their own, a world of gentle humor and small predicaments. Most of the troubles come from Ollie's spendthrift gestures and his mad courtship of Clara Coo Coo. Fran and Kukla usually manage to bail him out.

Ollie doesn't mind if the others kid him because he can't breathe flame through his nostrils. He explains his family fire was put out when his dragon grandfather swam the Hellespont.

But the thing that puts the program across is the way Fran treats the puppets as real people. They come alive.

Really People

I talked to her the other day during her recent trip to New York—the program originates from Chicago—and found that to her Kukla, Ollie and the others are really people. She doesn't like to see them hanging lifeless from a hook.

"I couldn't work with them if I didn't feel that way," she said. Puppets, like people, wear out. Whenever Tillstrom has to build a new Kukla-Russian for "dolls"—or Ollie, she is nervous for a few performances.

"It's hard for me to get used to a new character," she said. "I'm sensitive to the change. We have so much fun together, I hate to think we can't go on always. I know that may sound silly, but that's how it is."

Fran has a curious small girl quality—like the girl you loved and lost in grammar school—that gives her a nostalgic appeal. This actually stirs jealousy in some adult men television fans when she sings a love song to Kukla, who says she's his girl.

Much Fan Mail

Most of the mail is from grown-ups, and it reached a peak of 11,000 letters last Dec. 9. Many fans send the puppets gifts. When Ollie complained because Kukla received a knitted nose warmer, a fan mailed him a new false set of dragon teeth. Fletcher Rabbit, another character, got a wire ear hanger to keep his ears from flipping down in his face.

"Ollie gets the most mail from men, perhaps because he is so uninhibited," said Fran. "Elderly women seem most fond of Kukla." That might be because Kukla, who is a bit sad and ineffectual, reminds them of their husbands.

But ministers, businessmen, priests and children—they all had wrote:

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of the program on "Early Religion."

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wiggins of Clinton were week-end visitors of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Acker.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lingle spent Sunday in Columbia with their daughter Marlene, who attends Christian college.

Mrs. D. S. Cooper spent several days last week in Warrensburg with her daughter Mrs. Harry Baker and family and Mrs. Porter Baker of Leeton, who is a patient in the Warrensburg clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Huston and children Sue Ellis and Bobby returned Saturday after spending two weeks with friends in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Harris spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Harris' father G. E. Harris and brother Calvin Harris and family near Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Sutherland, Jr., and children returned last week from Miami, Fla., where they spent the holidays with Eldon's sister, Mrs. Ed Hurst and family. Mrs. Eldon E. Sutherland returned home with

them after spending the past two months with the Hurst family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitworth and daughter Delores Jean spent the week-end in Grandview with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Whitworth and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Patton and family.

Misses Rose Ellen and Janie Penell spent the week-end with their parents at Maeks Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Pickerill spent Sunday at Gravois Mills.

The sub-district meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship was held here Monday evening with a pot luck supper, followed by a business meeting and program.

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Doesn't Know Whether She Was Killer

Sandra Peterson Testifies in Trial At Brady, Texas

BRADY, Tex., Jan. 20.—(P)—Sandra Peterson testified Thursday she didn't know whether she killed Brady real estate man Lewis Patterson or not.

The 18-year-old Somerville, Mass., girl, appearing in her own defense, said she was under the influence of marihuana when Patterson was shot last August.

She said she "might have or might not have" killed Patterson.

The defense rested its case late today after Sandra testified. Earlier the state had rested after calling the widow of Patterson to stand.

Sandra's testimony followed the line given by Loretta Fae Mozingo, 15, who as a witness for the state yesterday gave surprise testimony that she, not Sandra, had held the gun which killed Patterson. She said Sandra was under the influence of marihuana and did not know who shot the real estate man.

Sandra is charged with murdering Patterson. He was shot and left in a roadside ditch after he picked up Sandra and Loretta Fae, who were hitchhikers.

Widow Testifies

Mrs. Patterson, 30, caused a rustle of excitement as she slowly entered the court room carrying her 2½ months old daughter, Patty, in her arms and leading her son, eight year old Buddy.

As Mrs. Patterson testified the girl accused of murdering her husband watched her closely. Mrs. Patterson did not look at Sandra.

"When did you last see Lewis Patterson?" asked special prosecutor Sam McCollum.

"That morning," Mrs. Patterson replied.

"Did you ever see him again after that morning?" McCollum asked.

"No."

That was all. The state gave the witness to defense attorney Will Alcorn and she was dismissed without further questioning.

First witnesses called by the defense were Vanard Young, farmer of near Brady who said on the day of the slaying Aug. 25, he saw a car stop on the San Angelo highway and a "fight" outside the car and Ralph Logan, San Angelo district attorney, who described Loretta Fae as "more nervous than Sandra" on the day of the slaying.

Melon to Cancer Sufferer

TEXARKANA, Tex., Jan. 20.—(P)—One watermelon has been shipped to Mrs. Troy Baker, 59, critically ill with stomach cancer, and another is on the way.

Her husband, a bakery employee, said the melon, shipped Sunday from Falfurries, Tex., was the first nourishment she has been able to take in 50 days. He said the melon was located through the Harlingen, Tex., Chamber of Commerce.

From Bradenton, Fla., the Bradenton Herald, a newspaper which has previously located watermelons for suffering persons, also is sending Mrs. Baker a melon. It was donated by Mrs. Tom Dalton, of nearby Anna Maria Island, who kept the 13-pound melon in her ice box because she had a hunch someone would be needing it.

Last year the Bradenton Herald found a melon for Kenneth Curtis, Jr., Baltimore, who was suffering from a rare kidney disease, and before that rounded up a melon for a Bradenton man, a cancer sufferer, whose doctors said it was the only kind of food he could digest.

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Velma Demaso of Boston stacked up a million dollars to give some idea of the amount of money stolen from the Brink's express company when seven robbers staged one of the biggest holdups in the nation's history. This picture was made deep inside one of Boston's leading banks. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Father of Twins To Be Returned

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 20.—(P)—The Missouri board of probation and parole decided Thursday to return Ronald Yinger to Missouri for violating his parole.

Donald Bunker, secretary of the Missouri board, said New York authorities indicated today they would extradite Yinger, if necessary, to bring him back to Missouri to serve the remainder of his sentence for passing worthless checks.

Yinger was brought to the attention of authorities after he became the father of the twin children, one born in 1949 and the other in 1950. The event resulted in newspaper publicity and a chance for him to appear on several radio programs.

A Clayton, Mo., resident recognized Yinger's picture in a newspaper and notified the Missouri authorities. The parolee was arrested just before he was to appear on a national radio program last Sunday night.

He had served 11 months of a one to three year sentence for passing worthless checks in Missouri. Following his release he was ordered to report to parole officer during his parole period.

Instead he moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., with his wife last July where he was employed in a cleaning establishment, parole officials said.

Russians Keep On Walking Out

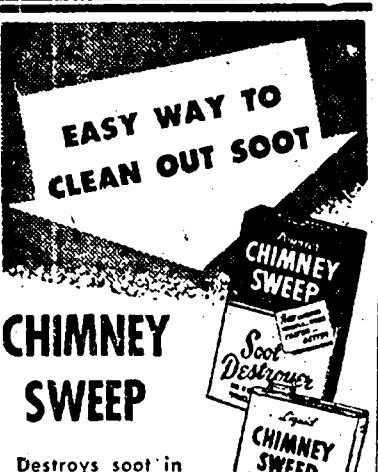
LAKE SUCCESS, Jan. 20.—(P)—New Soviet walkout strikes broke up secret atomic talks in the United Nations Thursday and cut Russian dealings with the western powers and Nationalist China in Washington, New York and Geneva.

The Soviet boycotts on diplomatic parley fronts over the world were carried out in the continuing Russian-led propaganda campaign to get Nationalist China thrown out of International Councils and make room in them for the Chinese Reds.

In quick succession, Soviet delegates strode out of the six-power atomic talks here, from the big power military staff committee in New York City, and from the 13-nation Far Eastern commission in Washington. The Russians also boycotted the winter session of the U. N. trusteeship council in Geneva.

The Russians now have boycotted nine U. N. organs in less than two weeks and have slowed down or stymied the work of most of the organizations affected by the walkouts.

They say the price for their return is the ouster of Nationalist China, but no one here professes to know how long the Russians may be absent.



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Flight of Noted Airman Over

Final Rites of Gen. Arnold Held At Arlington.

By Elton C. Fay

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(P)—General of the air force Henry H. "Hap" Arnold was buried Thursday in Arlington national cemetery, with President Truman and highest officials of the nation there to pay tribute.

As they committed the wartime leader to his grave, a chaplain told those gathered about:

"The flight of another airman is over, life's battles are all fought, his victories all won, and as in other days he lies down to rest awhile under the arching sky awaiting the bugle's call."

The grave into which the bronze casket was lowered, after a ceremony in the great white marble amphitheater of the cemetery, was close by that of another man who also wore five stars, General of the armies John J. Pershing.

The text that Maj. Gen. Charles I. Carpenter, chief of air force chaplains, chose for the amphitheater ceremony was from the 91st Psalm. The age-old words seemed to fit peculiarly the soldiers and airmen of today's wars:

"I will say of the Lord, he is my refuge and my fortress. He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust; his truth shall be thy shield and buckler. xxx"

Then in a brief eulogy to the man whose career spanned the creation of American airpower, the chaplain said that:

"... He dreamed dreams and brought those dreams to reality by spreading across the skies of the world the protective power of American airmen... The General of the air force, Henry H. Arnold, was a great airman, a great man. May his courage, farsightedness and devotion to duty be a continued inspiration to us all."

As the graveside services ended, a battery fired the 17-gun salute for the five-star general. Then came the crackling volley of three rounds fired by a rifle squad, and the sorrowing note of taps.

President Truman, in somber black hat and dark overcoat, sat flanked by Defense Secretary Johnson and Secretary of State Acheson.

Mrs. Arnold sat in a recess just off the platform of the rostrum. The other members of the family gathered outside in the well of the amphitheater.

Sleet and snow began falling as the ceremonies started and whisked down on a single spray of red carnations at the foot of the casket, the only floral decoration.

A damage suit was filed against the City of Sedalia Thursday afternoon in the circuit clerk's office by Mrs. Ruth Roach of Sedalia asking \$5,000.

She states that on October 20, 1949, near the vicinity of 705 South Ohio avenue, she fell on a public sidewalk. Her petition recites the sidewalk was uneven and rough causing her to fall and sustain painful and severe injuries.

Attorney for the plaintiff is Frank W. Hayes.

Hollow-Heart Trees

A tree with a hollow "heart" can live because transportation of food materials takes place in the inner bark and the sapwood, just beneath the outer bark.

Soldiers Captured Fleet

The cavalry captured a fleet in the Netherlands during the French revolutionary war. The French entered Amsterdam at a time when the Dutch fleet was ice-bound in the Zuider Zee. Under General Pichegru, the French Hussars, a cavalry unit, rode out on the ice and captured the entire fleet.

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Couple Dead by Gas Leakage

SATTLE, Jan. 20.—(P)—Gas

seepage from a broken line outside their home snuffed out the lives of a sleeping couple here during Thursday night. They did not have gas fixtures in their home and the leakage was from about 40 feet away.

The victims were John J. Cotoni, 42, and his wife, Julia, 40. He was an accountant.

Coroner John Brill's office said gas company employees reported the line break. A "snub line" for use if the occupants ever wanted gas service ran to their basement.

The locomotive dragged the car about half a mile before the woman's body was thrown clear. The car was demolished.

souri, died Thursday at home of her daughter, Mrs. Edna Murdock at Worth, Mo. She was 94 years old.

A neighbor reported the gas odor and investigation followed.

Oldest Gold Star Mother

In Missouri Dead

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 20.—(P)

—Mrs. Emma Margaret Adams, oldest gold star mother in Mis-

Woman is Killed At Rail Crossing

WALNUT RIDGE, Ark., Jan. 20.—(P)—An unidentified woman

was killed Thursday afternoon when her automobile and a Missouri Pacific train collided ten miles south of here.

State police said the woman was

about 25 and was driving a 1930 (Dodge) coupe bearing a Missouri license plate issued to Grace M. Sailwasser of (5232 Itasca St.) St. Louis.

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Crest In Flood Is Neared

Evacuation for 11,400 From An Area at Bird's Point Floodway

By The Associated Press

Rampaging midwest flood waters — first in 13 years — showed hopeful signs Thursday of losing their force.

Snow, sleet and freezing rain disrupted traffic and communications in the Pacific northwest. Many schools in western Washington had to close and some rural residents were marooned.

More than 15,000 persons have been driven from their homes along the Mississippi and Ohio rivers and their tributaries, but tension eased at the most crucial spots.

The outlook hinged on two things—the weather for the next few days and the strength of the levees holding back the swollen rivers.

The bloated Wabash river began rising slowly again at Vincennes, Ind., but that city's 20,000 residents wrote off the flood threat as virtually ended.

The weather bureau said the crisis passed Wednesday when the waters licked to within five inches of the top of the city's 29 foot floodwall and then began falling. The water bounced back to 27.10 feet after sinking to 26.82 Wednesday night, but forecasters said only "minor fluctuations" were expected for the next three of four days.

At Cairo, Ill., the second major danger spot the Mississippi river was expected to crest Thursday night at 55.5 feet. Army engineers said that if the waters stay below 57 feet the Birds Point-New Madrid spillway in southeast Missouri, probably will not be flooded.

Evacuated Homes

CHARLESTON, Mo., Jan. 19.—(P)—Residents of the big floodway near here grew more hopeful tonight—skies were clear in the Ohio valley and an early crest was forecast on the flooding Mississippi river.

But Red Cross officials said some 11,400 of the 150,000 evacuated their homes in the Birds Point-New Madrid floodway just in case the 200-square mile area is opened. Only about 600 persons were reported remaining.

The river was swirling slowly toward its predicted crest during the night of 55.4 feet at Cairo, Ill.—less than an inch away from its present stage. And the weather bureau said no rain upstream was expected.

The U. S. engineers have said the area probably will not be opened unless the river goes to 57 feet at Cairo.

Downstream, in Arkansas and Tennessee, things were different.

The Mississippi and its rushing tributaries had pushed more than 1,900 entire families from their homes—2,100 in Arkansas and 700 in west Tennessee.

Out by Boats

Many were removed throughout the day by boats and amphibious trucks. Tent cities were set up in some areas. Subfreezing temperatures, with some rain and sleet, brought discomfort.

Forty convicts helped volunteer workers sandbag the top of the lake Chicot dam in southeast Arkansas. Water lapped near the edge of the barrier. But workmen predicted it would hold, barring new rains.

Police investigated a report that an effort was made to dynamite a levee near Paragould, on the St. Francis river. The report came from Ray Meriwether, member of the Clay-Greene county drainage district.

The St. Francis forced out more residents near Wynne, Ark. Coast Guardsmen and National Guardsmen worked at top speed to remove them and their livestock.

In Tennessee, the big job was getting some marooned families out of their homes near Ripley, Miston and Tiptonville. Mississippi backwaters were within half a mile of Tiptonville but few people were affected.

The mass exodus in the southeast Missouri floodway began after the U. S. District Engineers at Memphis said Monday that Levees protecting the area might have to be opened. The purpose would be to ease the pressure on Cairo and other river points.

Most of the lower half of the area already is covered by backwaters.

A few farms still hauled out grain and livestock today. But nearly all movable property had been taken out.

Oliver French, disaster chairman of the Mississippi county Red Cross, said the evacuation had been 95 per cent completed.

Woman is Killed At Rail Crossing

WALNUT RIDGE, Ark., Jan. 19.—(P)—An unidentified woman was killed this afternoon when her automobile and a Missouri Pacific train collided ten miles south of here.

State police said the woman was about 25 and was driving a 1939 Dodge coupe bearing a Missouri license plate issued to Grace M. Saliwasser of (5223 Itasca St.) St. Louis.

The locomotive dragged the car about half a mile before the woman's body was thrown clear. The car was demolished.

Reject More Economic Aid For Koreans

Foreign Policy Defeat Given to Administration

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 19.—(P)—Thousands of jeering coal miners today rejected demands they go back to work.

The action in West Virginia and Pennsylvania came on the heels of new violence in the seven-state walkout of 90,000 United Mine Workers.

William Hynes, president of UMW District 4, was booted at a mass meeting in southwestern Pennsylvania. He was escorted to his car by several friends.

There was only one sign of a break in the strike which John L. Lewis has suggested be ended. In the Pittsburgh area (District 5) UMW officials reported success in persuading representatives of about 10,000 miners to obey Lewis.

Hynes, speaking to more than 1,000 diggers at Brownsville, Pa., asked the miners to go back to work. Wild confusion reigned. Angry shouts were heard. One mine yelled:

"We starve on the three-day work week. We might as well starve with no work until we get a contract."

May Still Stay Out

Possibility that some 12,000 miners in northern West Virginia will continue their walkout came from a meeting at Monongah, W. Va. About 1,500 miners rejected vociferously, but without a vote, a movement to return to work.

While the miners were holding their meetings, the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce wired President Truman asking he act to get the miners back to work on a five-day week. The Chamber said an emergency exists in the steel city because of lowered coal stockpiles.

A strip or surface mine owned by the Guseman Brothers in the same general area as Brownsville was dynamited. Owners William and Ray Guseman said they have been operating their mine but not shipping coal.

Two giant power shovels were destroyed at a loss of \$100,000. State police have no clues to the identity of the dynamiters.

Mayor Thomas A. Burke of Cleveland declared a coal emergency existed in that Ohio city. He said only a few days' supply was left for retail customers. The municipal stockpile of 1,300 tons was ordered opened for public use.

Roving pickets still are active. They closed several beehive ovens (where coal is baked into coke for use in steelmaking) in Westmoreland county, Pennsylvania.

Kiwanis Club Reviews Its Activities

A review of committee activities of the Sedalia Kiwanis club during 1949 outlining the various achievements was presented in a report to the club by Past President Ben Robinson, at the weekly meeting in Bothwell Hotel Thursday noon.

A copy of the report will be submitted to Kiwanis International.

The club also observed the 35th anniversary of Kiwanis International. This portion of the program was in charge of Rev. H. U. Campbell who called attention to the objects and ideals of the organization which now has 3,050 clubs embracing a membership of over 200,000.

L. A. Pharris was program chairman.

The club sang birthday greetings to these members whose anniversary came in January: Elmer Sterling, John Ryan, Frank Wagner and John Heiss, Jr.

President Herbert Schrankler in a brief ceremony presented to Bert A. Hathaway, retiring president, a past president's pin.

Cigars for the members were presented by John J. McGrath honoring the arrival of another daughter in his family.

Guests were: Tom Harvey, Hughesville rural route, with Lawson Clingan; and C. E. Beasley, St. Louis, with Guy Bailey.

Have Serial Numbers on Most of Cash

FBI Enters in Hunt for Gunmen In Big Robbery

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—(P)—The Federal Bureau of Investigation said tonight that it knows the serial numbers of almost one-tenth of the million dollars cash grabbed here by nine masked gunmen Tuesday night.

Its listing of the numbers on \$98,000 included in the fantastic haul at Brink's, Inc., a money transportation firm, was one of many developments today in the nation-wide manhunt.

Others were:

1. FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover personally entered the case by assuming over-all supervision of the widening search for the gunmen who set a new record in larceny of cash.

2. In Miami, Fla., a New Jersey ex-convict was detained for questioning by Boston police.

3. Three canvas bags, all marked "Federal Reserve Bank of Boston," were picked up in Massachusetts and Rhode Island. One, found at Providence, R. I., was ruled out immediately as not of the type stolen. The other two were under investigation.

4. Massachusetts Attorney General Francis E. Kelly announced he has called as general co-ordinating conference for tomorrow of all investigating agencies, including local, state and federal authorities.

5. Police began a search of the entire New England shoreline on the theory that the bandits might have taken to the sea to elude capture after the robbery. Brink's garage is right on the waterfront.

Detectives in Miami flagged down the streamliner Miamian as it entered the northeast 29th St., yards and arrested a man they identified as Arthur Langano, 45, of Englewood, N. J.

No Charges Filed

Boston Police Captain John D. Ahearn said Langano was wanted for questioning in connection with the holdup. He refused to say, however, what connection he thought Langano had with the Brink's holdup.

Miami Detective J. H. Holland said he found \$1,762 in cash on Langano's person, including 33 fifty-dollar bills. No charges were placed against him.

Holland quoted Langano as saying he was a salesman, travelling alone, on his way to Miami for a vacation. The detective added that Langano admitted serving five years of a 10-year sentence for armed robbery in New Jersey.

Police said they were concentrating on a search of the New England coastline because of the proximity of the water to Brink's garage. They also have an idea that one or more of the bandits were former sailors.

Capt. Ahearn said he was led to believe at least one of the men had nautical experience because of the type of knots used to tie the five victims while the money was scooped into two laundry bags.

Co-Ordinate Efforts

Late today the Massachusetts attorney general, Francis E. Kelly, called a general co-ordinating conference in his office tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. (CST).

Kelly said that with the bandits trail growing cold 48 hours after the holdup it was now necessary "to coordinate efforts of every law enforcement agency of the state and federal governments."

He said he wanted to see a plan drafted that would avoid "waste of time and manpower and duplication in running down leads and tips."

He coupled his announcement with a plea to the public "to be vigilant and report any leads or clues."

FBI Director Hoover's decision to take personal charge of the chase was made with police agents up against a blank wall and groping blindly for anything to give them a foothold in their uphill task.

"A talkative and imaginative phonny"—so described by Boston police—furnished a tip which sent squads of officers into a flurry of activity early today. The check resulted in the finding of a pistol and 1,000 rounds of ammunition in an empty house.

Camp Carson officials this afternoon identified three men who died last night as:

Pvt. Marv A. Revis, Smithboro, Ill.; Pvt. Robert Moore, Saul Ste. Marie, Mich.; Pvt. William H. Rau, La Grange, Ore.

The other dead were Pvt. Lawrence H. Elwell, Remer, Minn., and Joseph A. Weston, Atoka, Okla.

Authorize M-K-T. To Issue Trust Certificates

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—(P)—The Interstate Commerce Commission today authorized the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad company to issue \$1,650,000 in equipment trust certificates in connection with new equipment purchases.

Break With Bulgaria is Reported as Imminent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—(P)—A formal break in diplomatic relations between the United States and Bulgaria was reported tonight as imminent following a Bulgarian demand for recall of the U. S. minister there.

The recall of Donald R. Heath, the U. S. minister to Sofia, was demanded today by Bulgaria.

The state department would not explain what reasons the Bulgarian cited for wanting Heath out of their country.

Meanwhile it was learned that the two countries are likely to sever diplomatic relations probably tomorrow.

A department spokesman said tonight the demand for Heath's recall was made in a note sent by the Bulgarian government through its charge d'affairs, Dr. Peter Voutov.

Reject Back to Work Demand

Union President Miners' District Booed at Meeting

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—(P)—The Truman administration suffered a stinging foreign policy defeat today when the house refused to grant further economic aid to southern Korea.

By a two-vote margin the house rejected the administration's request for \$60,000,000 to help bolster the little republic's economy during the next six months.

But he asserted, as he has on several previous occasions, that there is no national emergency now requiring presidential intervention.

Thus he replied to an insistent clamor from congress members and others who insist that the mid-winter coal shortage caused by Lewis' three-day week and the intermittent strikes in the coal fields constitute an emergency.

Mr. Truman said that Denham, general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board, told him in advance of the suit filed yesterday in an effort to halt the three-day week. But the President said the White House had nothing to do with the suit.

Denham acted under the Taft-Hartley act contending that Lewis was employing labor practices to force operators to sign a contract containing illegal features.

Made Personal Appeals

Both President Truman and Secretary of State Acheson had made personal appeals for approval of the Korean fund to supplement a similar amount congress voted at the last session. Acheson said that without aid southern Korea would collapse "in two or three months."

But Republican critics of the administration's far eastern policy mustered enough support from the Democratic side to defeat the measure on a roll call vote of 190 to 191. The tally showed that 61 Democrats lined up with 131 GOP colleagues and one American-Labor against the bill. Only 21 Republicans voted in favor of it, along with 170 of Mr. Truman's party.

This marked the first flat setback the President has encountered in his many requests for global recovery funds. It also was the first legislative action the house has taken since congress reconvened January 3.

The outcome came as a shock to Democratic leaders who earlier had rallied enough support to defeat a GOF move to send the measure back to the house for further consideration.

This proposal to shelve the bill lost out on a roll call vote of 190 to 191. It was offered by Rep. Vorvors (R-Ohi) who spearheaded the Republican assault on the administration's far eastern policy.

Administration forces made a last-minute effort to put across a limited aid bill with a definite ending date of next June 30. But even this compromise failed to carry the measure.

As matters now stand the \$60,000,000 fund appropriated last year will be closed out February 15.

Fire Death Toll Mounts to Five

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Jan. 19.—(P)—The death toll stood at five today in the wind-whipped brush fire which swept a large area Tuesday, burning more than 87 buildings at Camp Carson.

All five victims were soldiers at the camp, who joined thousands of other troops and civilian volunteers in fighting the flames.

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The other dead were Pvt. Lawrence H. Elwell, Remer, Minn., and Joseph A. Weston, Atoka, Okla.

The army announced that a complete survey showed 87 buildings razed by the fire. They included 43 structures in the prisoner-of-war camp, 16 in the warehouse area, 11 in the billet area and 17 in the stable area. A guard tower and shed were also destroyed.

No official estimate of the loss was made.

Hydrogen A-Bomb Possible

President Not Considering Direct Negotiations With Russians

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—(P)—President Truman today left wide open the possibility that he will order production of a hydrogen super-bomb.

With the United States reported to be going ahead full blast on preliminary work leading up to production, Mr. Truman was asked at his news conference:

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Thirty Or More Die In Storms

East and Far West Feel the Frenzy of Cold And Hurricane

By The Associated Press

Winds up to hurricane force at the east coast while the region's worst blizzard was pounding at the far west.

The elements were wound up to such a violent frenzy that "stay home" warnings were issued for persons in New York state, the Pacific northwest and some Rocky mountain areas.

At least 30 persons were blown or crushed to death, frozen, drowned, or killed in traffic mishaps caused by the storms. Damage was widespread.

The eastern winds shattered plate glass windows, toppled trees and power lines and even blew a bus off the road. One man was killed at Stowe, Vt., when 70-mile-an-hour winds blew a tree down on his automobile.

The western blizzard was traveling eastward. In its path were Montana, Wyoming, the Dakotas, Kansas and Nebraska.

The flood threat in the midwest was expected to ease with the advent of lower temperatures. But in Arkansas, four rivers swollen by melting ice and heavy rains rose to danger points, forcing evacuation of numerous lowland residents.

In the California citrus areas, growers were warned to start heating citrus orchards early Saturday night to prepare for an expected temperature reading of 10 degrees below freezing. Los Angeles had its first snow since Jan. 11, 1949.

Nine persons perished and two were missing in the Pacific northwest's worst blizzard of the century. Two of the victims were children who froze to death as they struggled toward their farm home in eastern Washington. An elderly man froze to death in Seattle, and five Washington state residents died in highway accidents resulting from snow and ice conditions. A crane operator attempting to repair his machine was electrocuted by a live wire he touched during the height of the blizzard.

The storm, bringing bitter cold, hurled a paralyzing mantle of snow on Washington, Oregon and northern California and raced with undiminished fury into Idaho and Montana. The Idaho highway department did not even bother to send out snow plows as the storm pounded at the Idaho Falls Pocatello area. Strong winds caused severe snow drifting in Utah.

Battering winds raked the eastern half of the country spreading a trail of damage from Iowa to New York. Some buildings were unroofed, trees and utility poles were toppled and glass windows were caved in.

Floodwaters in some midwestern rivers edged higher but much colder weather moving in was expected to slow the runoff of ground water temporarily.

Western, northern and central New York was hardest hit by the destructive winds. Gusts topped hurricane velocity of 75 miles an hour and reached as high as 95 miles an hour in some places. Indianapolis clocked a 60 mile an hour sustained wind, with gusts up to 100 miles an hour.

A Greyhound bus was blown off the road by an 80 mile an hour wind near the Canadian border village of Malone, N. Y. A passenger was injured. Broken power lines forced three Buffalo radio stations off the air. On Lake Erie, many small boats were wrecked.

Winds which sometimes reached hurricane force swept New York City, shattering plate glass windows and injuring several persons. Gusts up to 78 miles an hour were reported at La Guardia Field, but did not affect plane schedules. Idlewild, the International airport at Queens, had winds as strong as 60 miles an hour which churned up thick clouds of dust and sand.

In a special bulletin for areas of New York state, the weather bureau warned residents it would be dangerous to be outdoors. With most highways blocked by snow in the Pacific northwest, motorists were advised not to travel except in emergencies. Highway patrols in Utah cautioned motorists to stay home until storms pass in that area.

Wind reached a sustained velocity of 72 miles an hour in Rochester, N. Y., holding for five minutes. The blow was the strongest in the city's history, with gusts up to 95 mph. Gusts reached 85 to 90 mph in Niagara Falls and over 80 in Buffalo.

At the Genesee airport, 30 miles south of Rochester, six small airplanes were smashed in a heap. The roof was ripped from a machinery manufacturing company plant in Auburn. Damage from fallen trees and broken power lines was widespread in the state.

Five persons perished in a head on bus crash in a blinding snowstorm near Gaylor, Mich., and five others were killed in a train-truck crash in a heavy rain storm at Terre Haute, Ind.

A man and his three children drowned apparently when their boat overturned in the backwaters of the flooded Wabash river near Oaktown, Ind.

Storms caused three deaths in

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Joseph Meyer

Mrs. Joseph Meyer died Saturday night at 6:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Robb, 3501 South Washington avenue.

Mrs. Meyer has been in failing health the past year and has been bedfast the past three months.

She was born Frances Klein on March 21, 1869 in Jennings county, Ind., and was married on October 23, 1888 at Martinsville, Mo., to Joseph Meyer.

She is survived by seven children: Mrs. Edward Gramlick of Pilot Grove, Mrs. G. W. Robb of the home, Mrs. E. B. Hobelman of St. Louis, Mrs. N. C. Brummel of Kansas City, Mrs. H. F. Hobelman of Fredonia, Kas., and N. P. Meyer, 516 West Third street. One daughter died in infancy. She is also survived by twenty-one grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. Three brothers, John and Nick of Sedalia, George of Marshall, and one sister, Mrs. Sarah Beck, of Alton, Ill., also survive.

Larkin Swope, 70, died at 3:00 p.m. Saturday at his home at 1200 West Fourth street.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Hicks of Keiser, Ark.

The body is at the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Mrs. Charles Woodall

Mrs. Lurana M. Woodall, 62 years of age, and formerly of Sedalia, died in Lafayette, Ind., at the home of her son, Henry Woodall, at 10:10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at Lafayette.

Surviving are her husband, Charles Woodall and sons, Herman Woodall, Henry Woodall of Lafayette and Harold Woodall of 1504 South Ohio avenue.

Mrs. Woodall lived here in Sedalia most of her life and had been residing in Lafayette for only six months.

Jerome Green

Jerome Green, former Sedalian, died at Oak Grove Saturday.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Eugenia Green on September 4, 1941.

Funeral services will be held at Oak Grove at 1:00 o'clock Monday afternoon and the body will be brought to Sedalia where graveside services will be held at Crown Hill cemetery between 3:00 and 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon. Services here will be in charge of the Gillespie funeral home.

Funeral of Mrs. G. M. Waggoner

Funeral services for Mrs. Gladys M. Waggoner, wife of C. A. Waggoner, 1101 West Tenth street, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 11:00 o'clock Saturday morning.

Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, officiated.

Mrs. T. E. Gasperson sang, "In the Garden" and "The Old Rugged Cross" accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Friends who served as pallbearers were Harold Teter, Arvis Crouch, Vern Crouch, Ed Bybee, Harold Coffelt and Ray Lucy.

Interment was in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Relatives and friends from out of town who were here to attend the service were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cummings, Parsons, Kas., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hicks, St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Hicks and son, David, Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Pugh, Grand View, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelly, Bartlesville, Okla.

Funeral of James B. Tally

Funeral services for James B. Tally, who died at the Bothwell hospital Wednesday, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Rev. George Acree, pastor of the First Assembly of God church, officiated.

Mrs. James Harvey sang, "After" and "Good-Night and Good-Morning" accompanied by Mrs. Mac Moser at the organ.

Friends who served as pallbearers were L. W. Wagenknecht, M. F. Sharper, W. F. Nolting, L. G. Williams, Walter Schroeder and W. T. Owen.

Interment was in the Tally family lot in the Pilot Grove cemetery.

Club No. 5 of the Sedalia Garden Clubs met at the country home of Mrs. Howard Turner, Friday afternoon, with Mrs. P. L. Strole and Mrs. Marshall Parsons as assisting hostesses.

A 1:00 o'clock luncheon was served to 29 members.

Mrs. R. S. Haggard, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Fred Kueck, program chairman, presented Mrs. J. P. Hurt, who read the poem of the month, "Happy New Year."

Mrs. C. F. Scotten gave a talk on the amaryllis.

Topic for the month was African violet and was given by Mrs. Roy Lierman, who exhibited specimen leaves and blossoms showing different varieties and colors of plants. Mrs. Lierman also displayed the Ionantha, which was the original species of the violet brought to America from Africa.

The flower exhibit was devoted entirely to African violets with the awards as follows: Mrs. Fred Kueck, two first and one second, Mrs. Lierman, one first and Mrs. J. D. Johnson, one first.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Leonard Williams and Mrs. G. W. McElveen and Mrs. John Griessens as hostesses.

Club No. 6 of the Sedalia Garden Clubs met Friday afternoon

Canada. In British Columbia, an 86 year old woman died from hunger and exposure and an infant died at birth after its mother was carried through a blizzard to hospital. A man was crushed to death by a 400-pound stone thrown from the 11th story of a building in Montreal, where gusts reached 69 miles an hour.

Flood swollen rivers in the mid-west brought new damage. Thirteen families were evacuated at Nashville, Tenn., on the Cumberland river. The Red Cross removed 50 families from the Indiana "pocket" area between the converging Ohio and Wabash rivers.

Water was chest deep in the main street of Rosicruse, Ill., on the Ohio river. Some 250 persons have been evacuated and 40 business houses have been abandoned. Local telephone service was shut off for the duration. The town of nearly 2,000 has no flood wall and a further rise of two feet of water is expected.

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Garden Clubs Held Discussions On Various Types of Violets

Garden Club No. 1, of the Sedalia Garden Clubs met at the home of Mrs. Roy Coplen, 521 South Carr avenue, with Mrs. Lewis Leaton and Mrs. E. H. Hildebrandt.

There were 21 members present and one guest, Mrs. J. E. Canady.

Miss May Highleyman led the club collect and Mrs. J. E. Nicholas, president, introduced new members, Mrs. John Wall and Mrs. Roy Fender.

Mrs. F. T. Johnson talked on the lily for the month, the amaryllis, with Mrs. T. E. Gasperson talking on the subject of the month, the St. Paulia violet.

Mrs. Bessmer received all of the awards in the day's exhibit on African violet and Mrs. John Bohon talked on amaryllis.

Exhibits were African violets with Mrs. Roy Fender first and Mrs. Coplen one second.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. William B. Rich, 209 East Broadway.

Garden Club No. 2 met Friday at the home of Mrs. Ivan Berry, 1703 West Eleventh street, at 10:00 o'clock Friday morning, with Mrs. Virgil Ragor and Mrs. Parkie Green as assisting hostesses.

Members each bought a sack lunch which they ate in the game room of the home.

The entire meeting was devoted to a demonstration on corsage making by Mrs. J. H. Gwin.

Club No. 8 of the Sedalia Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. L. E. Ray, 1519 South Osage avenue, for a 1:00 o'clock luncheon Friday afternoon.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. E. C. Marlin.

The lily of the month, the amaryllis, was discussed by Mrs. Curtis Howard, who gave many good pointers on growing the lily.

Mrs. G. W. Wallis talked on African violets and Mrs. R. O. Smith gave a talk on watering and feeding a potted plant.

One new member, Mrs. Walter Meyers, was voted into the club.

Awards were given on African violets with Mrs. Roy Colaflower first, Mrs. Lipscomb second and Mrs. R. O. Smith third.

Mrs. Colaflower and Mrs. A. E. Lipscomb were guests.

Club No. 3, of the Sedalia Garden Clubs, met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Fullam, 2001 East Broadway, with Mrs. C. L. Carter, Mrs. A. R. Beach and Miss Helen Bapple as assisting hostesses.

A 1:00 o'clock dessert luncheon was served to 28 members and three guests. The guests were Mrs. H. C. Feuers, Mrs. Oscar DeWolf and Mrs. Ralph D. Salmon.

Mrs. H. L. Netherton, president, presided over the business meeting.

Exhibits for the day were African violets, with awards going to Mrs. R. C. Hemphill, first, and Miss Helen Bapple, second and third.

Awards for the year were also announced and those having the most points for the year for exhibits were presented rose bowls by Mrs. T. E. Donaldson. They were Mrs. W. O. Stanley, Mrs. J. V. Harris and Mrs. E. L. Fullam.

Mrs. C. L. Carter, program chairman, presented Mrs. W. O. Stanley, who gave an interesting talk on the amaryllis.

Guest speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Feuers. She gave the history of the violet and exhibited many types of the plant. An open discussion followed the talk, at which time many questions were asked.

Club No. 4 of the Sedalia Garden clubs met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Coffman, 1411 South Ohio avenue, with Mrs. Nellie Monegan and Mrs. Leland Coontz as assisting hostesses.

A dessert luncheon was served to 29 members and three guests. The guests were Mrs. Ray Hatfield, Mrs. Frank Coffman, Jr., and Mrs. Henry Niemann.

Mrs. Leonard Williams, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Fred Kueck, program chairman, presented Mrs. J. P. Hurt, who read the poem of the month, "Happy New Year."

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Mrs. R. S. Haggard, president, presided over the business meeting.

An interesting talk on the amaryllis was given by Mrs. R. B. Ruppert.

"Try African Violets" was the subject of a helpful talk given by Mrs. P. L. Strole, after which she presented each member with a small potted African violet.

Exhibits for the day were various varieties of African violets, with awards as follows: Mrs. E. W. Kettleson, two first and one second; Mrs. P. L. Strole, two firsts and one second; Mrs. W. J. Frost, one second and Mrs. Fred Wertz, two seconds.

The pelt was placed on the old fashion wood ironing board which

S-C Debaters to Quarter Finals

The Smith-Cotton high school team from the debate society returned from a tri-state debate tournament at the Southwest Baptist Junior college Saturday afternoon.

A dessert luncheon was served to 19 members.

A new member, Mrs. Harry Bolch, was taken into the club.

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Garden Club No. 7, met at the home of Mrs. Ivan Berry, 1703 West Eleventh street, at 10:00 o'clock Friday morning, with Mrs. Virgil Ragor and Mrs. Parkie Green as assisting hostesses.

The occasion was the eighteenth annual inter-state tournament at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph William Reid, 410 Dal-Whi-Mo Court, have issued invitations to the marriage of their eldest daughter, Mary Lucille, to Dr. John Joseph Eustermann, of Mankato, Minn., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter N. Eustermann, of Lewiston, Minn. The ceremony will take place at Sacred Heart church at 11:00 o'clock Saturday morning, February 4.

Miss Reid is at the present time making her home in St. Louis, where she is employed by the Normandy school district. Dr. Eustermann, a veteran of World War II is completing a residency in internal medicine at the Veterans Administration hospital, St. Louis.

Miss Reid is being entertained by a number of friends in St. Louis and Sedalia friends are planning pre-nuptial parties for her after her return to her home here, which will be the latter part of this week.

On December 22 Mrs. E. P. Mann, II, entertained at her home, 5882 Cabanne, St. Louis, for Miss Reid, and Saturday Mrs. N. Dana Crosby, Carmian Road, St. Louis county, was hostess at a luncheon for her. Mrs. Crosby is the former Miss Harriet Courtney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Courtney, of Sedalia. On Tuesday the faculty of Garfield school, Normandy, is honoring her at a dinner, while on Friday at 5:00 o'clock Miss Reid and Dr. Eustermann, will be honor guests at a cocktail party, with Dr. and Mrs. Donald Bussman, 908 South Crescent, Clayton, host and hostess.

Last Sunday Dr. and Mrs. Frank B. Long, Jr., gave a small dinner party at their apartment, 4521 Parkview Place, St. Louis, for the couple. Mrs. Long is the former Miss Janet Stanley. She and Dr. Long are both former Sedalians.

Mrs. John J. Kniest, of Jefferson City, and brother, E. G. McGrath of St. Louis, are having a cocktail party Sunday evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, 700 West Fifth street for close friends of Miss Reid and her fiancee.

Mrs. George H. Trader, Meadowood Farm, and her daughter, Mrs. R. G. O'Malley, of Kansas City, are inviting close friends of Miss Reid to a luncheon and kitchen shower on January 28.

Miss Dorothy Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frederick Dean, 1401 West Broadway, whose marriage to Mr. Edward J. Fagot, of New Orleans, will be a social event of the week, has been the inspiration for a number of pre-nuptial parties recently. Her marriage to Mr. Fagot will take place at Sacred Heart church at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mrs. B. K. Roberts, 1620 North Heard avenue, entertained for Miss Dean with a miscellaneous shower Friday evening. The evening was spent playing canasta. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Roberts was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. M. C. Rodgers.

Those present were: Mrs. John Erickson, Mrs. Claude Lambirth, Mrs. Bob Garrett, Mrs. A. A. Studebaker, Mrs. James F. LaBahn, Mrs. Bill Cooper, Miss Gene Sullivan, Miss Dorothy Sue Roe and the honoree, Miss Dean.

Those unable to attend were, Mrs. Harold Dean and Mrs. Tom Perrin.

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On January 7 Mrs. Virginia Flower Hayes honored Miss Dean with a luncheon and white shower at the Scenic room at Flower's store. Guests were close friends of the bride-to-be.

Mrs. David Routsong, 1829 South Barrett avenue, entertained Miss Dean Wednesday afternoon with a luncheon in the Scenic Room at Flowers. The hostess presented her with a gift. The centerpiece was of white mums. Those present were: Mrs. James Darr, Mrs. John Pelham, Mrs. Herman Bloess Jr., Mrs. Robert Sherman, Mrs. James LaBahn, Mrs. Harold Dean and the honoree, Miss Dean.

Those unable to attend were, Mrs. Robert Johnson and Mrs. Keith Yount.

Mrs. William B. Rich, 209 East Broadway entertained Miss Dean with a luncheon and tea towel shower December 29th. The afternoon was spent playing canasta.

Guests were, Mrs. Chester Wright, Mrs. James F. LaBahn, Mrs. M. E. Gouge, Miss Mary Lou Mitchell, Mrs. John C. McLaughlin, Miss Widie McLaughlin, Mrs. J. C. Griffen, Miss Lolita Hamm.

Mrs. Claude Lambirth, Quincy Apartments, will entertain Miss Dean with a dessert supper Tuesday evening. The evening will be spent playing canasta. Mrs. Harry Lambirth will assist in serving. Later in the evening the guests will present Miss Dean with a gift.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robert Behrens have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Rosanna, to Mr. Joseph Charles Imhauser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leo Imhauser, which will take place at Sacred Heart church at 9:00 o'clock in the morning on Wednesday, January 25.

A reception at the Old Missouri Homestead will be held from 11:30 o'clock in the morning until 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. (Photo by Lehmer)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sedlak, 2001 East Sixth street, announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty Louise, to Mr. Robert Joseph Ash, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ash, 1204 South Washington avenue. The marriage will be February 14 at the St. Patrick's church.

Mrs. Mildred Sheddley, 1410 South Osage avenue, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Norma Jean, to Mr. Doyle D. Furnell, son of Mrs. D. S. Furnell, 1941 East Sixth street. The marriage will be January 27th.

Miss Doris Geraldine Cloninger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil C. Cloninger, became the bride of Francis Carroll Ragsdale, son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Ragsdale of Cape Girardeau, in a double ring ceremony at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, December 25, at the California Methodist church.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Ragsdale, assisted by the Rev. George W. Heslar, pastor of the church. An interlude of soft organ music was played by the church organist, Jerry Howell of Cape Girardeau sang "Because" and "Sweet Mystery of Life." Bill Todd sang "The Lord's Prayer" at the close of the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white slipper satin gown with a fitted bodice, full skirt and train. The yoke and collar were of lace outlined in pearl pearls. Her long fitted sleeves which tapered to points over her hand were also trimmed in lace and seed pearls. Her veil of illusion fell from a Juliet cap of satin embroidered in pearls. She carried a white prayer book topped with a white satin ribbon.

Miss Margaret Cunningham of Caruthersville was maid of honor and Misses Geraldine Oesterly of California and Melba James of Cape Girardeau were bridesmaids. They wore identical gowns of green and red taffeta and shoulder length veils. Their bouquets of white snapdragons were star shaped.

The candle lighters, Misses Carol Beth Andred and Betty Lawe wore blue dresses. Janet Peck of California was the flower girl. Royal Flanakin of Risco was best man. Ushers were Paul Jenkins and Harry Neal of Cape Girardeau, Marion Russell Popejoy, Derry Brownfield and Jim Bunch of California.

The bride's mother wore a co-co brown dress with matching accessories and a corsage of white gardenias. The mother of the groom chose teal blue with black accessories and her corsage was also of white gardenias.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlors. The bridal table was covered with a white Italian cut-work lace cloth. It was centered with a four tier white square cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and trimmed in pastel flowers, silver leaves and beads. White candelabra and silver service completed the setting.

Mrs. George W. Heslar and Mrs. E. A. McColister presided at the table. Others assisting were Misses Phyllis Ann Heysell, Winona Meyer, Sarah Rombach and Jo Ann Crawford, Georgia Howe presided at the guest register. The Cape Girardeau College quartet sang at the reception.

Guests present including the dinner party were, Reverend and Mrs. C. H. Martin and children, Kenneth, Carbie and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dinton, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Whitlock, Mrs. L. C. White and daughter Jennice. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rains, Mrs. J. R. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Farnell, Mrs. Dorothy Cramer, Mrs. Ruth Smith, Mrs. Sally White, Mrs. Leonora Pearl Coffey and children Joseph and Charlene.

For traveling, the bride wore a white knitted suit with black accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale will be at home at Cooter, Mo.

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The bride chose for her wedding a street length dress of aqua shade with black accessories and her corsage was of red rosebuds.

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A contribute dinner was served at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent in playing games and conversation.

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The next regular club meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Eileen Middleton on February 9.

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Committed chairman for the event were: Decorations, Marilyn Williams; refreshments, Dorothy Kirkpatrick; and music, Betty Brosch.

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Miss Mary Ann Hildebrandt was appointed assistant chairman of the Ways and Means committee and Miss Marilyn Williams was appointed to keep the chapter scrapbook up to date.

Due to the chapter treasurer being on leave of absence, Miss Vivian McAtee was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Mrs. Bob Wall, president, informed the chapter of her transfer in the near future to Beta Sigma Phi sorority. Miss Betty Ellsworth was elected to fill the office until June when new officers will be elected. The group then appointed Mrs. Wall registrar of the chapter, an office which had been vacant since last year.

Following the closing ritual, refreshments were served and a social hour followed.

A dinner party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rains, 801 East Ninth street, Thursday evening, in honor of Mr. Rains' 69th birthday anniversary. Several friends and relatives joined the family later that evening with a surprise party. Mr. Rains received several gifts. The evening was spent singing songs, playing games and readings were given. Refreshments of sandwiches cake and coffee were served.

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Misses Gladys Rugen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ferguson, of Pleasanton, and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Raines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mabel Raines, of Nelson, were married at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, January 11. The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. William Sampson at his home in Prairie Home.

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OBITUARIES

Mrs. Leo C. Meyers

Mrs. Nora G. Meyers, wife of Leo C. Meyers, died at her home, 500 West Third street, at 3:50 o'clock Thursday morning following a lingering illness.

Mrs. Meyers was born November 12, 1883 in Carbon, Wyo., the daughter of Patrick and Hannah Lunney. She was married to Mr. Meyers on January 21, 1914 and came to Sedalia to make her home at that time.

Surviving besides her husband are one daughter, Miss Mary Helen Meyers, of the home, four sons, James Meyers, of the home, George Meyers, of Atlanta, Ga., Paul Meyers, of Dayton, O., and John Meyers, of Topeka, Kas., one brother, Austin Lunney, of Los Angeles, Calif., two sisters, Miss Viola Lunney and Mrs. Winifred Grey, of Los Angeles, Calif., two grandsons, Tommy and Danny Meyers and two nieces.

Mrs. Meyers was a member of the Sacred Heart church and the Altar Society.

Funeral services will be held at 8:00 o'clock Saturday morning at Sacred Heart church.

Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

The body is at the McLaughlin funeral chapel where the Altar Society will recite the rosary at 8:00 o'clock tonight.

Ernest E. Foster

Ernest E. Foster, 62, of Hughesville, died at 4:50 o'clock Thursday day morning at Bothwell hospital where he had been a patient since January 7.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Alma Foster, three children, Gladys, Mrs. L. C. Helm of Tipton, Ralph Foster of Hutchinson, Kas., and "Billy" Foster of the home. Three grandchildren also survive as do two brothers.

He was a member of the Fish Creek Baptist church.

Mr. Foster was born on April 12, 1887 in Saline county the youngest son of William and Susan Foster.

He began work for the Missouri Pacific Railway Co. in 1911 and had served with them for more than twenty-five years.

Funeral services will be held at the Campbell-Lewis funeral home at Marshall Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. McKenna officiating.

Pallbearers will be Harry Hanley, James Wiley, Gerald Leach, John Parkhurst, Hershel Rissler and Grover Eubank.

Burial will be in Rich Park with Masonic Lodge Number 236 A. F. and A. M. of which he was a member in charge.

Funeral of Mrs. Williams

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Jane Williams, who suffocated in a fire that destroyed a considerable part of her home, 1103 East Third street, Wednesday night, will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Ewing Funeral home where the body was taken.

The Rev. Sid Mabry, pastor of Faith Tabernacle, will officiate and interment will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

In addition to four daughters and four sons surviving she is survived by thirteen grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. A sister, Mrs. Kate Smith, of Windsor, also survives her.

The body is at the Ewing Funeral home to remain until after the services.

Father of Twins To Be Returned

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 19.—(P)—The Missouri board of probation and parole decided today to return Ronald Yinger to Missouri for violating his parole.

Donald Bunker, secretary of the Missouri board, said New York authorities indicated today they would extradite Yinger, if necessary, to bring him back to Missouri to serve the remainder of his sentence for passing worthless checks.

Yinger was brought to the attention of authorities after he became the father of the twin children, one born in 1949 and the other in 1950. The event resulted in newspaper publicity and a chance for him to appear on several radio programs.

A Clayton, Mo., resident recognized Yinger's picture in a newspaper and notified the Missouri authorities. The parolee was arrested just before he was to appear on a national radio program last Sunday night.

He had served 11 months of a one to three year sentence for passing worthless checks in Missouri. Following his release he was ordered to report to parole officer during his parole period.

Instead he moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., with his wife last July where he was employed in a cleaning establishment, parole officials said.

He had served 11 months of a one to three year sentence for passing worthless checks in Missouri. Following his release he was ordered to report to parole officer during his parole period.

When the verdict was announced, Stroble sat quietly for a moment, then burst into tears.

"I loved her as my own child," he sobbed. "I must have been crazy. If I'd planned a murder I'd have done it in half a minute. I didn't plan it, because I would have thought of my own grandchilden."

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Convicted of Slaying Child

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 19.—(P)—Fred Stroble, 68, was convicted of first degree murder today, two months and four days after the battered body of six-year-old Linda Joyce Glueck was found in his back yard.

The jury's decision, without a majority recommendation, means an automatic sentence of death in California's gas chamber, unless automatic sentence of death in his case.

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A Big Celebration Planned For Charles E. "Gabby" Street

JOPLIN, Mo., Jan. 18.—(P)—Charles E. (Gabby) Street, colorful figure in baseball for half a century, who in recent years has "covered" the sports he loves so well by means of a radio broadcast originating in St. Louis, will be honored in his home town of Joplin tomorrow.

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Not Lassie, But Kin to Her



The collie dog shown above, with Major John M. Drenan, 115 East Sixth street, isn't Lassie, but she is an off-spring of the famous dog which has appeared in several movies.

The dog, Princess Margaret, nick-named Molly, will conclude a month and a half visit in Sedalia, when Mrs. Norman Salisbury, who has been visiting with the Drenans leaves for Hollywood, Calif., Friday. The dog belongs to Susan Diamond, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sampson Diamond of Hollywood, Calif. Mr. Diamond is a writer and Mrs. Diamond, who is a niece of Mrs. Drenan, is an opera singer. The beautiful collie has traveled all through Europe recently when the

Diamonds toured that country. After returning to the U.S., the Diamonds went to California via the Panama Canal, and Mrs. Salisbury and the collie came to Sedalia by train.

Mr. Diamond bought the dog when she was a pup, and she is now a year and a half old. Major Drenan retired from the army in 1947 and prior to coming to Sedalia to reside, was connected with the State Planters Plant and Trust company in Richmond, Va. (Padgett Photo)

Misery From Flood Made Endurable as Possible

Carriers of Democrat and Capital Win

Tournament of Optimists Near Half Way Point

The last half of the third round of the Sedalia Optimist Club's basketball tournament was completed in the gymnasium of Washington school Thursday night. The tourney, for boys under the age of fifteen, is nearing its halfway point. The fourth round of the eight round series will start Monday at Mark Twain.

The opening game Thursday night was between the Sedalia Democrat Carriers and the Episcopal quintet. The tilt ended with the Carriers on top with a 63 to 33 victory.

Vernon Steffens was high point for the Carriers with 22 points and Dawson Reese was runner up with 16.

High pointers for the Episcopal boys were Berry with 13 and Brooks with 12.

The second game started at 8:30 o'clock with the Sedalia Capital Carriers downing the Methodist squad in a close and hard fought contest with a final tally of 33 to 19. The game was full of action with both teams about evenly matched.

But it couldn't be done, the French advised yesterday. The monument was almost destroyed by bombs in the more recent world war.

So, Billy Parker—a lifelong friend—will do the honors over Higginsville tomorrow. Parker, 51, flies for the Phillips Petroleum Co. of Bartlesville, Higginsville is 40 miles east of Kansas City.

Hall, decorated by France, England and Russia, died in 1948, aged 68, at his Sandusky, Ohio, home. Parker has kept his ashes since in hope the Paris burial would be allowed.

Scorekeepers were Paul Mines, Ted Phillips and Referee was Hank Williams.

Carl Ballenger, secretary of the tournament, served in the capacity of timekeeper.

Dwight Brantley Plans to Retire

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 19.—(P)—Dwight Brantley, special agent in charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation here, said today he had submitted his request for retirement to his head office in Washington.

The retirement, he said, was requested for Jan. 31. The 51-year-old FBI agent has been with the bureau 25 years, and has been eligible for retirement more than a year.

For the last 10 years he has headed the FBI office here. Brantley said he plans to enter private business and probably will move to Florida when his application is approved.

The announcement of his retirement was made in Springfield, Mo. Brantley is on a tour of FBI districts in the Kansas City area. He first served in the office here from 1925 to 1927 and returned in 1933 as head of the office.

Mrs. Hendon and the children spent last night at the home of Earl W. Jackson here. Fifteen persons slept in the three-room home.

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